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SUPERVISORS' PROCEEDINGS

OFFICIAL REPORT OF ACTION TAKEN BY THE BOARD THIS WEEK

Large Volume of Business Transacted. State Highway Bonds to Amount of $100,000 Taken

The board of supervisors met in regular session Monday morning with all members present. Following is a brief summary of the business transacted:

Upon motion reguluarly seconded and carried the report of E. L. Titus, inspector of the McNamee bridge, was accepted.

Mr. Stearns, representing the state highway commission, appeared before the board and asked that they take $100,000 worth of bonds on the second bond issue for the state highway for the completion of the same by convict labor north of Cummings in Mendocino county, and after an investigation of the proposition the same was taken under advisement in executive session.

The exposition commission appeared before the board and asked for instructions concerning the disposal of the county's exhibit at the P. P. I. E. Supervisor Ford volunteered to interview the taxpayers and chamber of commerce of Ukiah and ascertain what their disposition in regard to the matter was and report to the board.

A bond for payment of taxes was filed by H. L. Preston for the Glen Blair Redwood company, and the map of the Little Valley subdivision was approved.

R. E. Donohoe was appointed to obtain the surveys for the boundary of Mendocino county between Sonoma, Lake, Glenn, Colusa, Trinity and Humboldt counties and file the same with the recorder.

S. M. Orr was ordered to continue with the repair work on th roof of the court house and also to repair the jail.

The allowance of G. S. Pitts was reduced from $15 to $7 per month.

A resolution was passed allowing the Northwestern Pacific Railroad company to construct and maintain a pipe line across the Two Rivers bridge in accordance with application resolution and blue print on file.

The name of Calpella school district was changed to Forsythe.

The resignation of Moses H. Crandall as poundmaster of Ukiah pound district was accepted.

Bids were opened for the papering, varnishing and plastering to be done in the courthouse heretofore advertised for, as follows: C. W. Barrick, $91; E. C. Rodwick, $100; G. A. Keller, $118; F. L. Bechtol, $110. The bid of C. W. Barrick was accepted. Bids were opened for the furnishing of wall paper and carpet for the courtroom, etc., as follows: J. W. Eversole, $482.50; Hutchison & Roeder, $343.70. The bid of Hutchison & Roeder was accepted.

The report of the superintendent of the county farm was accepted and placed on file.

The county assessor was ordered to correct the assessment against the Northwestern Redwood Co., reducing certain acreage from 520 to 360, and valuation from $1560 to $1080; also amount of taxes due was changed correspondingly.

Report of the superintendent of the county farm was accepted.

S. M. Orr appointed inspector of labor and material furnished for courthouse repairs.

Allowance for Mrs. B. H. Wolfe ordered transferred from store of L. H. Brown to that of J. Newgard.

Mrs. Hannah Nolan was allowed $8 per month for support of half orphan.

Supervisor Reynolds was given permission to remove the body of Mrs. Harrington from county lot to private lot in Evergreen cemetery.

The precinct boundaries as presented and specified by County Surveyor E. H. Smith were approved and accepted and maps ordered furnished the county clerk for his assistance in registering voters.

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PRESBYTERIAN PLAY NEXT MONDAY EVENING

Next Monday evening is the date set for the play to be given in benefit of the Presbyterian church. The piece, entitled "Fanchon, the Crickett," has been under the direction of Mrs. Jennie Mathews, whose skill in matters of this sort is well known. Her connection with it guarantees an amateur production of first-class merit and with the talent composing the cast Ukiah theatre goers may look forward to a treat. The title role of Franchon will be in the hands of Mrs. Bessie Cox, than whom no better actress has ever appeared on the local stage, either amateur or otherwise. She will be supported by the following able cast:

Father Barbeaud — B. D. Van Nader
Landry Barbeaud — Bert Thornton
Didier Barbeaud — Volney Van Dyke
Father Caillard — J. S. Love
Pierre — J. S. Love
Fred Van Dyke, Bert Mankins, Lyndall Callis, Roy Rodgers, Paul Mathews — Ukiah High School Glee Club
Fanchon — Mrs. Bessie Cox
Mother Barbeau — Mrs. Ruth Kasch
Fadet, the witch Dr. Ida May Malpas
Madeline, the beauty of La Priche — Miss Helen Aldrich
Nannette — Miss Lois Hutchison
Susette — Miss Dorothy Handy
Villagers, Tradesmen, etc.

TREASURER REPORTS ON COUNTY FINANCE

MONTHLY STATEMENT TO THE SUPERVISORS SHOWS GOOD CONDITIONS

That the county finances are in excellent condition was evidenced by Treasurer Johnson's monthly report to the supervisors the first of the week.

The balance on hand Nov. 1st was $133,540.30. Receipts for the month of November amounted to $133,344.86, while disbursements for the same period were $53,506.54, leaving a balance Dec. 6th of $213,378.62.

The following sums were received from the various officials: Clerk, $240.25; recorder, 425.85; sheriff, $63.54; Judge Furniss, $3; Judge Crockett, $24; J. Liftchild (county farm), $178.96; Judge Walker, $4.30; Judge Kilbourne, $2.50; Judge Brown, $1.75; Judge Clendenin, $2; Judge Young, $21.25; Judge Wallace, $38.

CONCERTS TO BE PUT ON AT VICTORY THEATRE

Beginning Friday, December 17th, Ukiah musicians will put on a series of concerts at the Victory theatre, provided patrons of the theatre take kindly to them. The program will be rendered between the two shows given by Mr. Cox, proprietor of the theatre. The program next Friday evening will include two songs, as well as numerous instrumental offerings. The concerts will be under the direction of G. A. Keller.

WATER CASE TO GO TO HIGHER COURT

The case of Grace Hudson vs. the Ukiah Water and Improvement Co. will be appealed to a higher court, preliminary papers in the appeal being filed with the county clerk this week. The superior court held that the free right of the plaintiff to all the water she could use through a half-inch pipe from the mains of the company was legal. The allowance was made many years ago by the predecessors of the present company, and when the latter took over the old company the privilege was held by Mrs. Hudson to still be legal. The opinion of the superior court was in her favor.

Recently the water company demanded payment for the water and stopped the service and Mrs. Hudson sued.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

A marriage license was issued this week to Malcolm McDonald, of Occidental, Sonoma county, and Flora Margaret Murchison, of Oakland.

SALE ON EXECUTION RESULTS IN TANGLE

ACTION FILED TO CLEAR UP SEXTON LUMBER CO. CASE

Ira Thompson, of Westport, this week, through Preston & Preston, filed a suit against Sheriff R. R. Byrnes et al, seeking to clear up a legal tangle which has arisen over the sale on execution of the property of the Sexton Lumber company, which has been doing business in the vicinity of Westport, and which recently went on the rocks.

Thompson filed a lien against the company when it first broke up and obtained a judgment. The property was advertised for sale duly by the sheriff and on the date advertised was sold to Thompson by Bert Johnson, of Fort Bragg, acting for the sheriff. Johnson was one of Byrnes' deputies during his first term of office but when the latter was reelected he failed to reappoint Johnson as deputy or to require a bond, so, fearing that the sale might be illegal on that account, he readvertised it and it was sold a second time by Deputy Sheriff Clarence Ganter. At the second sale it was bid in by Chas. McFaul, who paid $100 down on the sale, but who subsequently failed to pay the balance. The present suit is brought by Thompson to have the first sale declared a valid one by the court and to clear title to the property.

The point as to whether Johnson was a deputy of Byrnes' by reason of his appointment during Byrnes' first term is the one which is to be settled.

WILLITS FACES SUIT FOR $600 ROYALTIES

Willits, December 8—Willits is facing a suit for damages. Several years ago we put in a sewer system and now the Cameron Septic Tank Co. have presented a bill for a royalty which amounts to nearly $600. Mannon & Mannon of Ukiah represent the Cameron Septic Tank Co. No action has yet been taken on the claim for damages as the city attorney wants to make a thorough investigation first.

JAS. H. BROWN DEAD

James Henry Brown, a native of Ohio, died at his home on the Tomki, December 2nd, aged 74 years. He leaves two children, James H. Brown, Jr., and Mrs. J. Irving Read, both of whom live near Willits. The remains were shipped to Oakland for burial.

MANY TAX REBATES ALLOWED BY SUPERVISORS

LUMBER COMPANIES AND MANY OTHERS PAID TAXES ON GOVT. LAND

A large number of tax rebates were allowed by the supervisors this month as will be seen in the list of bills allowed on page two of this issue of the Dispatch.

For the enlightenment of the public we will state that these rebates for the most part are for taxes paid on lands which are the property of the United States. It seems that some years ago the state selected a large acreage of school lands, but selected more than the government allowed. This land was subsequently taken by various parties on scrip and for many years they paid taxes on it. It was finally discovered that it had never been deeded to the state by the government and that the titles of those holding it were void. Therefore they have filed application for their tax rebates.

The matter of whether the lands affected shall be finally deeded to the state remains unsettled at Washington. A large acreage is redwood timber land to which the Bolton interests, the L. E. White Lumber company, the Caspar Lumber company and various other coast companies, as well as many private parties believed they had full title.

SCHOOL FAIR CLEARS FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS

PROCEEDS TO GO FOR IMPROVEMENTS AT UKIAH GRAMMAR SCHOOL

The school fair committee of the Parent-Teachers' Association of the grammar school submits the following report to the public. The receipts, expenditures, and amount cleared for the two evenings and one afternoon are as follows:

Candy Booth	$ 23.63
Coffee	34.70
Cap and Apron	61.70
Delicatessen	35.05
Fancy Work	127.00
Fruit and Flowers	27.85
Ice Cream	34.00
Pop Corn	22.05
Santa Claus	52.17
Tea and Confetti	23.10
Door Receipts	63.75
	505.00
Expenditures	5.00
Amount Cleared	$500.00

The town is to be congratulated upon this fine showing. Never has there been more splendid public spirit and disinterested generosity shown than on this occasion. It would take too much space to name indididually everyone who contributed to the success of this fair. In a general way, we may say that beside the ten groups of women who worked untiringly for the booths and those who generously helped with the program and the decorations, are the many store-keepers who provided various necessary articles, the newspaper men who willingly published the announcements, the carpenters, mill-men, and hop-festival committee who furnished labor and material, and the hosts who made donations and patronized the booths. Miss Luella Williams most kindly lent her piano for the occasion, the Anker Draying Co. hauled all supplies, etc., gratis, and Dr. Cleland gave the use of the hall for the week. It speaks well for the citizens of this town that the school children and the schools are dear to their hearts.

Efforts will be made at once to get out plans for the sheds. There are to be two sheds—one for the grammar school and one, either a shed or a covered porch for the primary. If the above amount prove insufficient for this purpose, other means will be found to make up what is required. The Parent-Teachers' Association has undertaken this for their year's work. A splendid beginning has been made and they feel sure that the public will bring to a successful finish what has been so satisfactorily begun.

ELKS HOLD FORTH IN GRAND STYLE

LOCAL PADDOCK ACT AS HOSTS TO LARGE CROWD YESTERDAY EVENING

The Ukiah Elks did themselves proud last night, when their long heralded dance was held at the Odd Fellows' hall. Several of the Bills from other parts were here to aid in the good time and the bulls of the local paddock were there a million. Each local Elk had the privilege of inviting a friend and lady, and as all availed themselves of the privilege, a congenial crowd, just large enough, was in evidence.

The evening's program consisted of dancing and cards, and in addition, entertainers from Santa Rosa and the city were here to lend variety and interest to the affair. The hall was prettily decorated and the lunch was calculated to do the greatest good to the greatest number.

Many elegant gowns were in evidence, for Ukiah's fair ones will take second place to none when it comes to a matter of beautiful clothes. The function was carried out in a manner eminently befitting the great order under the auspices of which it was given, and local Elks may well be proud of its success.

Chas. Blalack was in town from his Largo ranch yesterday.

ATTEMPT TO QUASH APPEAL IN SCHMITT-REDEMEYER CASE

The superior court was occupied last Monday with the case of Schmitt vs. Redemeyer. The case, a damage suit, was tried several months ago and Judge White sustained the motion of Attorney Robert Duncan for a non-suit. Attorneys Preston & Preston for Schmitt moved for a new trial and the motion was denied. They then gave notice of an appeal from the order denying the new trial.

Recently the bill of exceptions was filed preliminary to the appeal, but Attorney Robt. Duncan holds that the period of time allowed by law for such filing has elapsed and is trying to quash the proceedings on that ground. The argument against the appeal will proceed next Monday, Judge White in the meantime examining the briefs of both contestants.

DEATH OF DAVID McKEE

David McKee, an old resident of Potter valley, died last Wednesday evening at the state hospital at Talmage. The remains were taken to Potter valley yesterday for burial by Ed Eversole and the funeral was held there.

The deceased was 74 years of age and leaves several children.

NEW CASES FILED IN SUPERIOR COURT

SEVERAL CASES OF INTEREST PLACED ON RECORD DURING PAST WEEK

D. L. Cox, of Willits, through Preston & Preston, has filed a suit against Chas. Moseley and Celia B. Moseley, seeking to recover on a note secured by mortgage for $600. The mortgage covers property near Willits. The plaintiff asks for the principal and interest since Sept. 16, 1913, and $150 attorney fees and for costs.

R. T. Robbins, through Weldon & Hurley, has filed a petition in the superior court asking that he be appointed guardian of the persons and estates of the Farley minors. The estate is a 160 acre tract in the northern section of the county. The petitioner is uncle of the minors, who are at present are under the custody of another uncle, Wm. Hall.

C. M. Walker, of Elk, through Attorney Jack Kingren, of Point Arena, and W. D. L. Held, of Ukiah, has filed a petition to be appointed guardian of the estate of Wm. McDonald, an insane person. The estate is valued at $300 in the petition.

Through Attorney McConaughy, of Fort Bragg, Maude Barnes has filed a suit in divorce against Geo. H. Barnes, alleging desertion. The parties were married March 9, 1912, and there is one minor child aged one year, of whom the mother asks the custody. The plaintiff asks also for $100 attorney fees and for costs of suit.

Carmelina Martinetti, through J. W. Kingren and W. D. L. Held, has filed an application to be appointed guardian of the person and estate of her minor child, Rose Marie Martinetti.

Dolly Swanson, through Kingren & Held, has filed a petition seeking to have the title to real estate of Thomas Swanson, deceased, vested in herself as surviving widow.

TRAIN PENNED IN BY SLIDES SUNDAY

Willits, Dec. 8—Sunday night the Eureka train was blockaded near Island Mountain and while they were waiting for instructions another slide came in behind them. A special train was sent out from Willits and the passengers were transferred and brought back here, but they did not arrive until about 3 o'clock a. m. The following day the trains got through.

Frank Marble departed this week for Lake county and from there contemplates a trip to other parts. He will not return to Ukiah for some months and may decide to locate elsewhere permanently.

H. B. SMITH IS NEW MAYOR

L. P. ANKER APPOINTED TO FILL UNEXPIRED TERM OF T. L. CAROTHERS

Ordinances Introduced Regulating Vehicles Standing on Streets and Trimming of Trees

The board of city trustees met in regular monthly session last Monday evening.

The office of mayor being vacant owing to the death of T. L. Carothers, H. B. Smith was unanimously elected to the position and took his place as chairman of the board.

It was then moved, seconded and carried unanimously that L. P. Anker be appointed to fill the unexpired term of T. L. Carothers, until the city election next April.

The Ukiah fish hatchery was leased to the California Fish and Game commission.

L. P. Anker was then sworn in as trustee.

Resolutions of respect to the memory of T. L. Carothers were then passed and ordered engrossed on the minutes.

The following committees were then appointed by the chairman: Streets, Brown and Anker; electric lights, Charlton, Brown and Lambert; sewer, Charlton, Anker and Lambert; health, Brown and Charlton; fire, Lambert and Anker.

A representative of the Ellison-White chautauqua appeared before the board to ascertain the board's attitude toward granting the chautauqua a license free, but no action was taken in the matter.

Upon motion made, seconded and carried $1000 was ordered transferred from the general fund to the street fund.

Reports were filed as follows: Electrician, recorder, treasurer, fire marshall, sanitary inspector.

An ordinance was introduced by Trustee Charlton regulating the parking or standing of vehicles on certain portions of certain streets in the town of Ukiah City. The proposed ordinance provides that no vehicle may be left standing for longer than five minutes at one time on any of the following streets: Henry between School and State; Smith between Oak and Main; Standley between Oak and Main; Perkins between Oak and Main; Church between Oak and Main; Stephenson between Oak and Main. All vehicles must keep to the right on the streets and in turning corners. No vehicle shall be left standing on the streets at night without a white light in front and a red light behind.

A maximum fine of $300 or a jail sentence of three months or both fine and jail sentence are fixed as the penalty for infraction of the ordinance.

An ordinance was introduced by Trustee Lambert regulating the planting and maintenance of ornamental and shade trees along the sidewalks. The ordinance will provide for a certain height to which overhanging branches shall be trimmed, and for the planting of all trees within two feet of the curb line, between the curb line and the property line. A maximum fine of $50 is provided for infringements. The marshall shall have authority to remove or trim any tree to comply with the ordinance if the owner of the property refuses to do so after written notice. The cost of such action by the marshall shall be paid by the property owner.

Both these ordinances will be acted on at the next meeting of the board.

Trustees Charlton, Brown, Anker and Lambert were appointed a committee with full power to act to ascertain the proper trees for planting at the park.

The matter of regulating electrical connections was referred to the electric light committee and the electrician's office.

Mrs. Langland returned from San Francisco Tuesday evening. Her daughter, Mrs. Bert Hart, returned with her.

UKIAH 25 AND 15 YEARS AGO

Happenings of Interest Gleaned From Dispatch Files

BACKWARD GLANCE AT EVENTS

December 12, 1890

George Gaunce, one of the famous Mendocino outlaws, has been pardoned by Gov. Waterman.

Tuesday, Dec. 9, the cornerstone was laid at the Mendocino state insane asylum.

The grand jury has recommended that the county build a fireproof hall of records.

Last week was a stormy one on the coast. The schooner Abby went ashore at Caspar and the steamer South Coast at Fort Bragg. The new wharf at Usal will be a total loss according to reports. A schooner unknown went ashore at Rough and Ready. The schooner Ida Florence went ashore at Ferguson's cove, near Point Arena. The Tindall wharf at Point Arena was demolished and the Russell and Wells wharf badly damaged.

Andrew Clark, who was convicted in October last year of the murder of Garrett Fitzgerald near Round valley, has given notice that he will apply to Governor Waterman for a pardon.

There is about four feet of snow on Mt. Sanhedrin.

December 14, 1900

A cement walk is being laid on the east side of State street from Standley to Smith.

J. L. Brown and Ed Cox have dried 215,817 pounds of prunes in this valley the past season.

Married, in Ukiah, Dec. 11, 1900, James Carmichael, of Orrs springs, and Margaret J. Cameron, of Navarro.

The mill at Cottoneva was burned last Saturday, Dec. 8th, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The plant is a total loss and 130 men are out of employment.

Construction trains on the California Northwestern (Northwestern Pacific) are running to and beyond Calpella.

T. J. Weldon, popular manager of the Great Eastern department store, was admitted to the bar the first of the week.

COYOTE VALLEY

Coyote Valley, Dec. 6—Mrs. Frank Bayles, from Fresno, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cleveland.

Edison Witherell and Roy Mead were entertained at a card party Thursday evening by Mrs. Grover Cleveland and Bessie Pickle.

George Patrick spent Friday visiting with Mrs. A. Mead and family.

J. W. Williams, the expert carpenter of the valley, has been doing some carpenter work for T. Mathis.

G. E. Hunt is visiting with friends and relatives in Sebastopol.

The little son and daughter of Gordon Hunt, who have been ill for the past three weeks, are recovering.

R. L. Cleveland was a Ukiah visitor Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Scott, of Calpella, was visiting in the valley last Sunday.

Mrs. W. F. Orr spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. M. A. Christy.

Mrs. Ernest Heckendorf is visiting with Mrs. G. E. Hunt.

EVANS-LOWE

A very pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Evans on Sunday afternoon, when their daughter, Sadie Ouita, was united in marriage to Walter Leroy Lowe, youngest son of Mrs. Alice Lowe, of this city.

The bride looked charming, being dressed in white silk poplin.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. D. Catchpole, of the Baptist church, just the immediate relatives of the contracting parties being present. After the ceremony the bridal party went over to the Good Luck restaurant, where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served.

At nine o'clock a number of relatives and friends gathered at the future home of the happy couple, where after an excellent evening was spent, the party sat down to a splendid wedding dinner.

After a number of congratulatory speeches were made and responded to, the guests departed, but leaving behind them the customary showers of rice poured upon the heads of the happy couple.

Mrs. W. H. Snell, formerly of Ukiah, but now of 1436 Spruce St., Berkeley, has been very sick for the past five weeks with nervous prostration, but is now slowly improving, and able to sit up for a few minutes during the day.

BILLS ALLOWED BY THE SUPERVISORS

First District

G. M. Miller, brg wk	7.80
Navarro Lumber Co., lumber	4.90
Navarro Lumber Co., lumber	20.53
Navarro Lumber Co., lumber	16.32
Navarro Lumber Co., lumber	14.93
N. W. Redwood Co., lumber	286.22
T. J. Vestal, hauling	7.50
Mt. Konocti L. & P. Co.	20.51
C. E. Ledford, brdg wk	40.00
Cloverdal Lbr. Co., lumber	11.20
Paul Hontou, labor	30.37
I. C. Ingram, brdg wk	39.00
E. M. Jones, culvert	48.50
E. M. Jones, brdg & culv	66.00
W. I. Ingram, rd wk	14.00
J. L. Eldredge, hdwr	5.20
C. W. Finney, blksmth & sup	9.50
L. E. White Co., powd'r, fuse	20.90
R. C. Burger, rd wk	37.50
Ed Valenti, rd wk	15.00
Ed Valenti, rd wk	20.75
T. J. Vestal, rd wk	22.30
J. C. Clow, rd wk	114.00
J. L. Estes, rd wk	15.50
Geo. W. Johnson, sup	7.05
C. O. Dightman, rd wk	50.00
C. O. Dightman, rd wk	158.00
J. L. Estes, rd wk	115.00
W. C. Hotell, rd wk	96.00
Geo. Clow, haul gravel	100.00
Geo. Clow, haul gravel	61.00
J. L. Rector, rd wk	161.00
H. D. Ornbaun, rd wk	63.00
H. D. Ornbaun, rd wk	43.00
J. W. Main, rd wk	12.00
H. E. Tarwater, rd wk	79.00
H. E. Tarwater, rd wk	58.00
C. E. Ledford, rd wk	35.75
V. R. Rawles, rd wk	197.50
G. M. Miller, rd wk	105.00
G. M. Miller, rd wk	98.00
D. E. Hotell, rd wk	179.00
Chas. Guntley, rd wk	84.00
R. W. Eldredge, rd wk	130.60
R. W. Eldredge, rd wk	37.00
Austin Western Co.	33.75
E. M. Jones, rd wk	292.00
W. A. Morrison, blksmth	6.65
B. E. Marshall, blksmth	8.40
W. H. Hixson, rd wk	68.00
F. Allenbest, rd wk	24.00
Ed Vassar, rd wk	69.00
G. W. Grant, scrapers	32.65
Allen Cooper, rd wk	134.00
Will Duncan, sup	21.90
Navarro Lumber Co., sup	1.50
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Wiley Higgins, rd wk	92.00

Second District

Marshall Bowen, brdg wk	1.00
J. W. Pickle, brdg wk	25.00
W. D. L. Held, rent pile driver 9 days	45.00
W. T. Lawrence, brdg wk	74.25
Frank La Porte, lumber	20.07
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John D. Allen, brdg wk	7.00
Peter Huff, culvert wk	1.50
F. M. Davidson, sprinkling	99.00
Ben Horr, brdg wk	20.25
Mack Howard, brdg wk	10.50
M. A. Christy, brdg wk	15.00
Ike Ackerman, rd wk	31.25
W. R. Hildreth, rd wk	37.75
G. W. Jones, rd wk	20.00
Cox Hardware Co., sup	1.75
F. M. Davidson, rd wk	15.75
Frank Woods, gravel wk	30.37
Vernon Pickle, gravel wk	30.00
H. B. Longmire, rd wk	32.50
J. D. Silva, rd wk	44.00
W. W. German, rd wk	256.62
D. P. Armstrong, rd wk	32.00
Frank Strait, rd wk	25.00
C. E. Lynch, rd wk	32.50
Ed Stipp, rd wk	6.00
Con Brower, rd wk	28.37
Gibson Hardware Co., sup	16.75
Ukiah Elec. System	16.50
Marshall Bowen, rd wk	17.00
Pete Trimeloni, rd wk	58.50
A. McKay, rd wk	42.00
M. Roppolo, rd wk	12.00
H. W. Neil, haul gravel	18.00
Jim Watson, rd wk	32.50
Geo. Ticehurst, loading grvl	23.25
D. M. Lynch, rd wk	12.50
L. Riggs, loading grvl	18.25
L. M. Buckingham, loading gravel	12.00
J. Dutro, rd wk	9.00
V. M. Price, contract	898.50
J. W. Pickle, rd wk	41.25
W. H. Tindall, haul gravel	4.00
A. E. Frank, haul gravel	22.50
Guy Joslin, haul gravel	8.00
Dudley Coble, loading grvl	15.25
F. A. Yates, rd wk	100.50
Ed Davidson, rd wk	15.75
Peter Huff, rd wk	38.00
Finnish Colony, haul gravel	40.00
T. B. Binckley, rd wk	10.50
J. W. Pickle, haul gravel	150.75
M. A. Christy, rd wk	16.25
J. W. Pickle, gravel wk	25.50
J. W. Pickle, rd wk	340.86
J. W. Pickle, rd wk	72.12
J. W. Pickle, rd wk	242.50
A. R. Shreeve, rd wk	36.00
T. B. Binkley, rd wk	31.50
W. B. Smith, labor, etc.	21.25
Sam Williams, labor	16.25
Lester Daly, loading gravel	20.25
Andrea Garzini, rd wk	27.50
Ukiah Water & Imp. Co., water	7.20
W. H. Tindall, rd wk	24.00
Roy Mead, rd wk	27.50
A. R. Ganter, rd wk	5.00
Tom Farrance, rd wk	18.00
L. E. Woods, rd wk	28.12
B. M. Davidson, rd wk	18.00
T. B. Binkley, rd wk	12.50
Enoch Hurt, loading gravel	16.25
Roy Ford, hauling gravel	24.00
T. J. Gillespie, rd wk	30.00
T. Charlton & Son, blksmth	8.25

Third District

M. N. Spurlock, brdg wk	28.00
A. Haun & Sons Co., lumber	73.92
David Goggins, brdg wk	50.75
Bud Barnes, lumber	154.12
N. W. Redwood Co., lumber	363.62
M. N. Spurlock, rd wk	255.96
G. C. Lewis, rd wk	8.50
L. J. Williams, rd wk	69.50
J. E. Branscomb, rd wk	78.50
G. C. Lewis, rd wk	167.25
David Goggins, rd wk	72.50
J. M. Vinton, rd wk	32.50
J. N. White, rd wk	50.00
W. I. Hall, brdg wk	55.00
G. S. Pritchett, rd wk	23.00
G. S. Pritchett, rd wk	11.50
T. E. Fulwider, rd wk	40.00
Austin Western Co., sup, etc	5.96
M. Leak, cartage	3.00
M. Leak, cartage and frt	3.50
Isaac Snider, rd wk	12.50
F. M. Goforth, rd wk	92.71
P. H. Taylor, harness	9.00
W. F. Montgomery, rd wk	30.00
Austin Western Co., sup and freight	51.70
E. M. Bucknell, labor and hdware	39.75
V. W. Rogers, rd wk	11.25

Fourth District

C. J. Pesula, culvert wk	39.87
W. A. Haas, brdge	230.75
W. A. Haas, brdge	280.75
Mendocino Lumber Co., lbr	92.46
Little Valley Lbr. Co., sup	2.00
Little Valley Lbr. Co., sup	2.05
Ft. Bragg Advocate, pub, etc.	26.56
Geo. Switzer, rd wk	61.25
Austin Western Rd Mach Co.	58.25
C. J. Pesula, rd wk	89.12
C. J. Pesula, sraper wk	27.00
A. C. Hendrickson, rd wk	35.00
C. J. Pesula, lbr and haul	165.05
A. C. Hendrickson, rd wk	47.50
Geo. Daniels, haul rock	72.50
J. A. Chambers, rd wk	332.50
Geo. Cornell, rd wk	183.75
Peter Gustafson, rd wk	26.25
Mendocino Lumber Co., sup	137.30
H. T. Gordon, rd wk	35.00
McMaster & Andrews, sup	21.00
Emil Seman, blksmth	30.15
Edward Barff, brdge wk	49.75
Wm. Sallinen, brdge wk	39.00
J. S. McDonald, brdge wk	20.00
Edward Barff, brdge and cul	58.25
W. B. Coombs, powder	12.75
Little Valley Lbr. Co., sup	33.75
Gabe Reid, rd wk	378.50
Little Valley Lbr. Co., sup	3.90
Little Valley Lbr. Co., sup	1.75
Jack Standley, rd wk	35.75
Fred Rudolph, rd wk	17.50
Geo. Mathews, rd wk	6.55
V. K. Dyer, rd wk	28.12
John Simonds, rd wk	101.00
Fred McKee, labor	35.00
Fred McKee, rd wk	29.50
Erick Luama, rd wk	25.00
Otto Newman, rd wk	186.25
J. C. Philbrick, blasting	140.50
J. C. Philbrick, brdg & culv	127.50
J. C. Philbrick, rd wk	458.75
John Thorstrom, rd wk	89.38
Edward Barff, rd wk	142.50
Jas. Barnes, rd wk	40.00
F. J. Hyman, brge wk	758.33
Al Carlson, brge wk	2268.89
Fred Weist, stumpage	7.56

Fifth District

Wells Russell, freight, etc	32.20
Chas. Tullener, hauling	4098
Emil Nimela, brdg wk	13.75
John Nimela, brdg wk	19.75
Wm. Thomas, auto hire	10.00
Caspar Wallpe, brdg wk	6.75
E. Bishop, ulvert, etc	91.00
Devoe Wilson, culverts, etc	35.00
Mendocino Lumber Co., lbr	133.40
A. Stornetta, brdg wk	140.37
Wells, Russell & Co., frgt	47.65
Ciapusci & Pedrotti, lumber and labor	16.50
Western Pipe & Steel Co., drayage	3.75
J. C. Halliday, bridge	180.00
Thos. Raxworthy, brdg wk	5.00
L. E. White Co., sup and frt	30.40
Arch Hamilton, rd wk	32.50
L. E. White Co., lumber	252.21
E. L. Titus, brdg wk	83.75
Fred Bishop, brdg wk	89.00
L. N. Campbell, rd wk	8.75
J. R. Taylor, haul gravel	280.00
Chas. Tullener, haul gravel	56.25
C. S. Mack, rd wk	13.50
Chas. Cureton, rd wk	25.00
Isaac Talbot, rd wk	10.00
J. R. Taylor, rd wk	37.25
Hugh Craig, rd wk	12.50
Ed Zimmerman, rd wk	20.00
P. H. Tock, rd wk	30.37
P. H. Tock, rd wk	104.60
Adolph Neban, fighting fire	2.50
Geo. Cameron, brdg wk	7.25
Walter Perry, rd wk	114.00
Geo. W. Titus, rd wk	34.75
John Piper, rd wk	27.50
Hans Christensen, rd wk	15.00
L. J. Siple, haul rock	105.00
Geo. Campbell, rd wk	23.75
John Brunges, rd wk	42.50
Caspar Wallpe, rd wk	111.50
Pete Peters, rock wk	22.50
John Brunges, rock wk	10.00
Lafe Tift, rock wk	10.00
Theo. Johnson, rock wk	50.00
Thos. Raxworthy, graveling	5.00
Antone Stornetta, rd wk	25.00
Ernest Cuthbertson, rd wk	2.50
Wm. Thomas, viewing rd	30.00
E. Bishop, gravel wk	43.50
Carl Lowrey, haul gravel	90.37
Hiram Henry, rd wk	11.25
Wm. Thomas, rd wk	7.25
Carl St. Ores, rd wk	165.50
L. F. Wilcox, rd wk	30.50
Lloyd Hamilton, rd wk	12.00
J. F. Ray, rd wk	238.87
Geo. H. Byrnes, rd mach	2.75
David Berry, tools	1.25
Fred Bishop, rd wk	35.00
Joe Maher, rd wk	8.00
August Schwantner, rd wk	15.75
A. W. Taylor, rd wk	2.00
Henry Tarkel, rd wk	10.00
John Brunges, rd wk	11.50
Arthur Comegy, rd wk	6.75
Milton Moyles, rd wk	55.00
Geo. Campbell, rd wk	36.00
John Matson, blksmth	64.75
J. W. Shoemake, labor	22.50
Al Carlson, rd wk	255.75
J. W. Kingren, notary work	8.00

County General

Dispatch-Democrat, printing	9.50
Anna Porterfield, sec. Bd. of Education	10.00
T. L. Young, inquest	10.75
E. M. Corbett, jury fees	12.60
E. G. Busch, map work	10.00
Edna Sherwood, postage	1.79
J. L. Reilly, postage	2.52
F. A. Cummings, postage	1.86
Pearl Briones, postage	2.11
D. Bittenbender, postage	1.52
Anna Porterfield, expenses	205.20
Nilas Hughes, tree inspec.	8.75
H. C. Thurston, sup. & wk	7.30
C. Van Dyke, expenses	52.25
H. Howe, postage	11.06
J. C. Ottoson, postage	7.12
Clade Van Dyke, horti. com.	126.00
T. L. Young, rent, etc.	5.50
C. M. Walker, coroner fees	12.25
J. M. Millen, survey & view.	11.00
Fred H. Warren, inquest	23.25
Morris & LeRoy, drugs	4.75
Dispatch-Democrat, pub.	29.25
A. J. Phillips, hall rent	5.00
Chas. Whited, coroner jury	12.60
F. W. Reynolds, telephone	7.59
Gibson Hdwe Co., supplies	14.25
Dispatch-Democrat, printing	10.00
G. A. Johnson, stamps	139.60
Ukiah Water & Imp. Co.	15.00
H. O. Cleland, hall rent	10.00
Mrs. Maggie Williamson, hall rent	5.00
M. R. Howard, rent	5.00
S. M. Orr, wk on courthouse	14.62
Wells Fargo Co., express	2.43
J. J. McGimsey, salary	80.00
G. W. Ray, printing	8.00
Pac. Tel. & Tel. Co.	68.97
R. E. Donohoe, engineer	47.70
S. L. Rea, examine insane	5.00
Mrs. Helen McClelland, rebate	26.50
M. C. Jepsen, tax rebate	28.45
West Publishing Co., law books	17.00
H. H. Brown, salary	50.00
Jas. Pullen, cor. jury	15.70
Geo. W. Stout, ex. insane	5.00
T. L. Young, inquest	11.25
J. Liftchild, ex. insane	10.00
L. K. Van Allen, ex. insane	10.00
A. P. Weger & Son, hall rent	5.00
John Dahl, cor. jury fees	14.40

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WEEK'S DEEDS AND MORTGAGES

December 1, 1915

DEEDS—

R. L. Hutchison to Mrs. M. J. Briles. Undiv. ½ int. in 160 acres in Sec. 20; T 23 N, R 15 W, also personal property.

S. T. Wallace to J. L. McGimsey. 41.09 acres in Sec. 18, T. 13 N, R 13 W.

J. S. Hart and J. M. Mannon to Savings Bank of Mendocino County. Lot in Ukiah.

Sadie G. Roeder, Admrx. of Est. of F. M. Roeder to Mrs. M. J. Briles. Undiv. ½ int. in 160 acres in Sec. 20, T 23 N, R 15 W, also personal property.

CONTROLLER'S RECEIPT—

To Tindall, Kimball & Weller. Land in T 12 N, R 14 W; T 12 N, R 15 W; T 13 N, R 16 W, and 3 Lots in Point Arena.

MORTGAGES—

P. E. Hansen et ux to Amanda Shelton. 440 acres in Secs. 33 and 34, T 19 N, R 13 W. Two notes, $1000, 2 yrs., and $3500, 3 yrs., both at 6 per cent.

J. L. McGimsey to Jane T. Fox. 41.09 acres in Sec. 18, T 13 N, R 13 W, $250, 1 yr., 8 per cent.

A. McCulloch to H. L. Preston. 160 acres in Sec. 17, T 18 N, R 11 W, $80, 1 day, 8 per cent.

C. L. Bollinger to Irvine & Muir Lumber Co. Lot in Rowe Tract, Willits, $200, 1 day, 6 per cent.

RELEASES OF MORTGAGE—

The First Bank of Savings of Fort Bragg to Noyo Land and Cattle Co. Mortgage recorded in Book 63, page 229.

RELEASE OF NOTE—

The First Bank of Savings of Ft. Bragg to Noyo Land and Cattle Co. Note recorded in Book 4, Mscl. Records, page 28.

CANCELLATIONS—

R. L. Hutchison et al to Commercial Bank of Ukiah. Mtg. recorded in Book 70, page 351.

S. T. Wallace to J. L. McGimsey. Mtg. recorded in Book 71, page 408.

CONTRACT OF SALE—

J. W. Bell to Mrs. Dortha Banks. Lot 22 of Bell Tract.

J. W. Bell to Mrs. Dortha Banks. Lot 19 of Bell Tract.

December 2, 1915

DEEDS—

Martin L. Johnson et ux to Jane Frances Beal, dated Nov. 6, 1915. Land in Sec. 14, T 14 N, R 14 W, M D M.

Laurenzo Adams to L. E. White Lbr. Co., dated Dec. 1, 1915. Undivided ½ int. in Lot 20, S½ of SE¼ of Sec. 18, and Lots 1 and 10, E½ of NE¼, NW¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 18, T 13 N, R 15 W, M D M.

MORTGAGES—

Charles L. Foster to Charlotte L. McGarvey, dated Dec. 1, 1915. E½ of SW¼, Lot 2 and SE¼ of NW¼, Sec. 31, T 22 N, R 11 W, M D M, $300, 3 yrs., 10 per cent.

Annie Rafferty and A. L. Rafferty to Fort Bragg Commercial Bank, dated Nov. 17, 1915. S½ of SW¼ of Sec. 26, N½ of NW¼, Sec. 35, T 20 N, R 17 W, M D M, $1000 on Nov. 17, 1916, 7 per cent.

Matthew Casey to John William Horn, dated Dec. 1, 1915. NE¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 22 and N½ of SE¼, Sec. 22, all in T 17 N, R 17 W, M D M, saving and excepting E½ of N½ of SE¼ of SW¼, Sec. 22. $30, payable 1 day after date, 10 per cent.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGES—

Irvine & Muir Lbr. Co. to H. W. Hubbard. Releases mortgage recorded in Book 51, page 150.

Mary E. Rowe as gdn. to B. A. Pelkey. Releases mortgage recorded in Book 71 of Mtgs., page 240.

Richard Taylor to Henry Tarkel. Releases mortgage recorded in Book 67 of Mtgs., page 286.

LICENSED LAND SURVEYORS—

Clarence P. Day, Santa Barbara county; John A. Mitchell, Napa county; Frederic J. Jeken, San Bernardino county; John H. Williams, Lassen county.

December 3, 1915

PATENT—

United States to Patrick Holahan, dated Sept. 3, 1915. Lot 15 of Sec. 2, and NE¼ of NW¼, Sec. 11, T 24 N, R 17 W, M D M.

MORTGAGE—

Mrs. Dorinda Capell to Irvine & Muir Lbr. Co., dated Nov. 30, 1915. N½ of SE½ and S½ of NE¼, Sec. 10, T 24 N, R 17 W, M D M. $830, payable 1 day after date, 7 per cent.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE—

Herman Beck et ux to John J. Pekuri, dated Nov. 27, 1915. Two head horses, 2 head cows, 2 small calves. $514.68, payable 5 years after date, 6 per cent.

SATISFACTION OF MORTGAGE—

Amanda Shelton to Amalia Van Herick et vir, dated Nov. 26, 1915. Satisfies mortgage recorded in Book 75 of Mtgs., page 144.

December 4, 1915

DEEDS—

Sadie Morris, Lilly Blodes, Henry Simpson, William Simpson and Mary F. Simpson to Thomas Simpson, dated Dec. 12, 1914. A parcel of land lying in the SE¼ of NW¼ of Sec. 29, T 18 N, R 17 W, M D M.

Svetozar Igali et ux to Thomas W. Cox, dated Nov. 24, 1915. Lot 1 of Sec. 11, T 14 N, R 12 W, M D M.

AGREEMENT—

Between Thomas J. Simpson and Thomas Ingham, dated Dec. 1, 1915. Agreement to clear the southern one-half of the following described land: A parcel of land lying in SE¼ of NW¼, Sec. 29, T 18 N, R 17 W, M D M, containing 24 acres.

ORDER AUTHORIZING LEASE OF REAL PROPERTY—

Estate of John A. Blosser, deceased. Ora E. Blosser, executrix, granted permission to lease Lots 6, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, and 15 of Sec. 27, and portion of Lots 7 and 9 of said Sec. 27, also N½ of SE¼, SW¼ of SE¼, SE¼ of NW¼ and E½ of SW¼ of Sec. 28, N½ of NE¼, SE¼ of NE¼ and E½ of SE¼, Sec. 33, NW¼, NW¼ of NE¼ and NW¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 34, all in T 18 N, R 14 W, M D M, (Saving certain exceptions set forth in said order.)

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF ACTION TO FORECLOSE MORTGAGE—

D. L. Cox vs. Chas. K. Mosely et al. Affects property described as follows: Part of Block 1 of Baechtel Grove Addn. of Town of Willits.

SATISFACTION OF MORTGAGE—

W. Henry to Joaquin Cooney et ux, dated Nov. 27, 1915. Satisfies chattel mortgage recorded in Book 13, page 338 of Chattel Mtgs.

December 6, 1915

PATENTS—

U. S. A. to W. W. Frazier. 160 acres in Secs. 21 and 22, T 22 N, R 15 W.

U. S. A. to J. H. Klinker. 167.14 acres in Sec. 7, T 14 N, R 15 W, and in Secs. 1 and 12, T 14 N, R 16 W.

U. S. A. to P. Thompson. 40 acres in Sec. 15, T 13 N, R 15 W.

U. S. A. to M. Smith. 52.45 acres in Secs. 28 and 33, T 16 N, R 15 W.

U. S. A. to J. Brusie. 160 acres in Sec. 15, T 13 N, R 16 W.

U. S. A. to H. Isern. 160 acres in Secs. 9 and 10, T 12 N, R 15 W.

U. S. A. to H. Francis. 80 acres in Sec. 23, T 13 N, R 16 W.

U. S. A. to E. McFaul. 161.11 acres in Sec. 6, T 13 N, R 15 W.

U. S. A. to J. H. Bowman. 160 acres in Sec. 10, T 12 N, R 15 W.

U. S. A. to D. A. Logan. 119.65 acres in Sec. 4, T 14 N, R 16 W, and in Secs 32 and 33, T 15 N, R 16 W.

U. S. A. to N. W. Crispin. 120 acres in Sec. 2, T 12 N, R 16 W.

U. S. A. to P. Turner. 173.93 acres in Sec. 35, T 15 N, R 17 W.

U. S. A. to T. R. Hutchison. 160.16 acres in Sec. 1, T 12 N, R 16 W.

U. S. A. to W. H. Clay, Sr. 160 acres in Secs. 19 and 20, T 14 N, R 15 W.

U. S. A. to G. W. Parker. 40 acres in Sec. 20, T 14 N, R 16 W.

U. S. A. to B. F. McClure. 160 acres in Sec. 2, T 12 N, R 16 W.

U. S. A. to S. Huston. 160 acres in Sec. 21, T 16 N, R 16 W.

U. S. A. to W. E. Cureton. 160 acres in Secs. 5 and 8, T 13 N, R 15 W.

U,. S. A. to C. E. Hamilton. 160 acres in Sec. 6, T 13 N, R 15 W.

U. S. A. to C. W. Minqr. 160 acres in Sec. 30, T 14 N, R 15 W.

U. S. A. to C. Howard. 160 acres in Secs. 6 and 7, T 13 N, R 15 W.

U. S. A. to W. Doty. 160 acres in Sec. 7, T 13 N, R 15 W.

DEEDS—

The Young America Realty & Mining Co. to F. T. McClendon. 474.7 acres in Secs. 12 and 13, T 16 N, R 12 W.

E. V. Nissen to Jessie M. Bivans. Lot in Point Arena.

J. E. and J. A. Lowrey to M. Mamlock. Land in Secs. 19 and 30, T 11 N, R 14 W, and in Sec. 25, T 11 N, R 15 W.

J. Etchart et ux to P. I. Lancaster. 120 acres in Secs. 34 and 35, T 20 N, R 14 W.

M. R. McLeod to H. G. Pelle. 3 Lots in McLeod tract, Fort Bragg.

M. R. McLeod to J. H. Smith. Lot in McLeod tract, Fort Bragg.

MORTGAGES—

O. W. Busch et ux to Savings Bank of Mendocino County. Land in Sec. 7, T 17 N , R 11 W, $2000, 1 yr., 7 per cent.

T. C. Fulton to Irvine & Muir Lumber Co. Lot in Willits, $300, $10 per month, interest, 6 per cent.

F. T. McClendon to L. M. Barnett. Land in Secs. 12 and 13, T 16 N, R 12 W, $1750, 5 yrs., 8 per cent.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE—

C. M. Willey to J. L. McCracken. Live stock near Ukiah. $310, 30 days, 8 per cent.

RELEASE OF MORTGAGES—

J. Simonds to W. B. and A Jones, Mtg. in Book 63, page 479.

J. Simonds to W. B. and A. Jones. Mtg. recorded in Book 63, page 179.

P. I. Lancaster to J. Etchart et ux. Mtg. recorded in Book 65, page 37.

ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGMENT—

J. Simonds vs. W. B. and A. Jones. Docket No. 3, page 82.

CERTIFICATE OF SALE—

W. M. Bird vs. C. C. Smith, Sheriff to W. M. Bird in Secs. 6 and 7, T 16 N, R 12 W, and in Sec. 12, T 16 N, R 13 W.

December 7, 1915

PATENT—

United States to William A. Tompkins, dated July 16, 1914. NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 8 & N½ of NW¼ of Sec. 9, T. 19 N., R. 15 W., M. D. M.

United States to Asa C. Tracy, dated November 15, 1915. S½ of SW¼ & NW¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 22, T. 23 N, R. 16 W, M. D. M.

United States to Leroy E. Lynch, dated January 23, 1914. NW¼ of SE¼ of Sec. 2, T. 20 N, R. 13 W, M. D. M.

DEED—

William E. Shields et ux to John R. Bauer and R. F. Bauer, dated Dec. 4, 1915. Land in Sec. 29, T. 23 N, R. 10 W, M. D. M.

E. R. Caughey to Standard Investment Co., dated Dec. 4, 1915. NW¼ of SW¼ of Sec. 28, T. 14 N, R. 16 W, M. D. M.

Clifton F. Page et ux to L. Bilodeau, dated Dec. 4, 1915. Portion of Lot 27, in Block 11 of Daugherty's Addn. to Willits.

AGREEMENT OF SALE—

L. Bilodeau and C. F. Page, dated Dec. 4, 1915. For sum of $1274 to be paid on or before Dec. 4, 1916. Portion of Lot 27, in Block 11 of Daugherty's Addn. to Willits.

DECREE OF DISTRIBUTION—

In the guardianship of estate of William V. Gobbi, a minor. Decree that all property belonging to said minor and now in the hands of his guardian be distributed to him. Said property consists of cash, $89.50. 1-20 int. in N½ of Block 9 of Bobbi's Addn. to Ukiah.

CHATTEL MORTGAGE—

Edward J. Furlong et ux to H. P. Preston, dated Dec. 6, 1915. Cows, horses, farming utensils, etc., on that certain ranch located along the county road immeriately north of Albion, $1000. 1 yr. 8 per cent.

SATISFACTION OF MORTGAGE—

L. Bilodeau to C. F. and Ella L. Page, dated Dec. 4, 1915. Satisfies mortgage recorded in Book 70, page 423.

Thomas P. Hale to Reginald M. Parker, dated Nov. 24, 1915. Satisfies mortgage recorded in Book 71 of Mortgages, page 210.

Fort Bragg Commercial Bank to F. M. Thomson et al, dated Dec. 6, 1915. Satisfies mortgage recorded in Book 67 of Mortgages, page 137.

CANCELLATION OF TAX SALES—

State of California (by Board of Supervisors to J. W. Shoemaker, dated Dec. 7, 1915. Cancels Cert. of Sale No. 166, Bk. 1, p. 342, and deed in Bk. 23, p. 256. Affects following land: Lot 7, Sec. 6, T. 12 N, R. 16 W, M. D. M., and SE¼ of SE¼ Sec. 1 and NE¼ of NE¼ of Sec. 12, T. 12 N, R. 17 W, M. D. M.

State of California (by Board of Supervisors) to James Cure, dated Dec. 7, 1915. Cancels Cert. of Sale No. 51, Bk. 1, p. 99, and Deed in Bk. 13, p. 81. Affects the following land: NE¼ of NE¼, Sec. 12, T. 12 N, R. 17 W, M. D. M.

BUY MEAL TICKETS

The State Commission of Immigration and Housing has caused a warning to be published in the papers of the East to the effect that an acute condition of unemployment may develop in California during the early winter. The commission now states that this is a warning not only to the migratory workers of other states, but it is hoped to influence those in California to husband their summer's earnings. The commission urges that the surplus earnings be deposited in savings banks or other safe depositories. "Buy a meal ticket" is also a slogan proposed for the workers. The commission suggests that such an investment of savings in advance payments of room rent and meal tickets would in many instances prove a wise precaution and would help to tide an unemployed man through the winter months.

Year after year the opportunities for earning a living in times of stress in the winter, are growing more rare for the improvident and dissolute, who contribute not only to their own discomfort but to the hardships of the worthy unfortunates who are too often adjudged to be in the same improvident class.

P. P. Eckhart, of Largo, was in Ukiah last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Fish, of Potter valley, were Ukiah visitors Sunday.

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J. G. Griffith, of Covelo, was registered at the Palace hotel last Friday.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of Orrin Henry Plumb, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Robert R. Patton, administrator with the will annexed of the estate of said deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said Deceased, to file their claims, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the above entitled Court, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, to the said administrator with the will annexed, at the law office of Keith C. Eversole, Esq., Eversole building, Town of Ukiah City, County of Mendocino, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said Estate in the County of Mendocino, State of California, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated December 3, A. D. 1915.

ROBERT R. PATTON,
Administrator with the Will Annexed of the Estate of said deceased.

KEITH C. EVERSOLE, Attorney for Administrator with the Will Annexed. 8-5t

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of Harry Ramsey, also known as H. Ramsey, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Elsie H. Ramsey, Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of said Deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said Deceased, to file their claims with the necessary vouchers in the office of the Clerk of the above entitled Court, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Executrix at the law offices of Preston & Preston, Preston Building, Ukiah, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said Estate in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated Ukiah, Cal., Nov. 15, 1915.

ELSIE H. RAMSEY,
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Harry Ramsey, also known as H. Ramsey, Deceased.

PRESTON & PRESTON, Ukiah, California, Attorneys for Estate.

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Notice of Application of Dissolution of Corporation

Yokayo Creamery Company, a corporation, by its Directors having presented and filed in the Superior Court of Mendocino County, California, its application for a decree of dissolution of the said corporation, the hearing of the said application has been fixed by the Court for Monday the 13th day of December, 1915, at 10 o'clock A. M. in the Court Room in the Courthouse at Ukiah, Mendocino County, California, and all persons interested in the said matter, or having any objections to file in the said matter, are directed to file the same before the date fixed for the said hearing, and to appear at the time and place so fixed and show cause if any they have, why the said corporation should not be dissolved as prayed for in said application.

Dated November 11, 1915.

HALE PRATHER,
Clerk of the Superior Court of Mendocino County, State of California.
By M. A. CARPENTER, Deputy.

W. G. POAGE, Attorney for Applicant. 5-5

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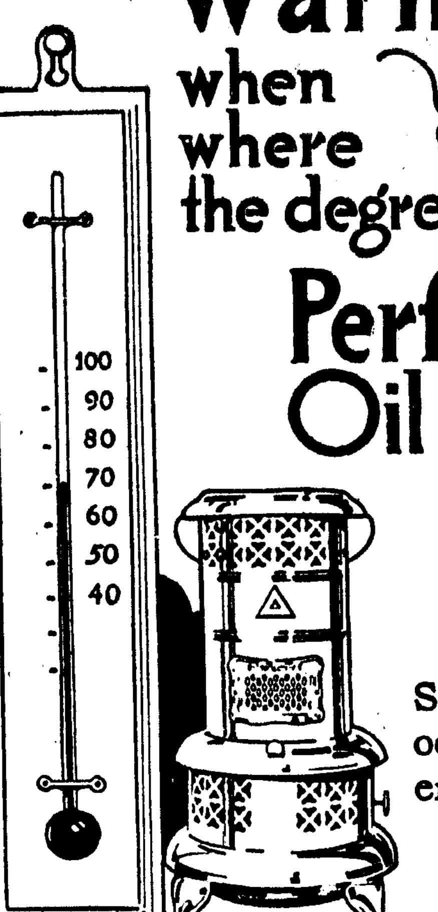

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UKIAH HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

(Ross Ryder, Correspondent)

To-morrow evening our champion basket ball team will mix matters with the team of the Santa Rosa high. Nearly every fan in this section knows that Santa Rosa has always put out a strong team in nearly everything that she undertakes, but very rarely has she ever put out one sufficiently strong to drive the boys of the purple and gold down to defeat. Manager Toles received a letter from the manager of the Santa Rosa team last Monday. This letter contained the conditions by which, if fulfilled, the Santa Rosa team would deign to come up here and let us play her. The conditions in the letter were rather restricting and sounded for all the world like the bunch of "do's and don't's" posted up in plain view on our county hospital. If we are to play the Rosy city boys we must let them choose the referee; must not work any new material gained from other schools this year, and numerous other restricting clauses. Nevertheless we feel that Santa Rosa must have lost some of the confidence that she had of yore, or she would not fear to play us at any cost. Therefore we are willing to accept her terms and will boost our team on to victory next Saturday evening. A preliminary game will be played between the Senior "scrubs" and the freshmen. The Senior team will consist of some of the senior boys who played basket ball in grammar school and in their freshmen year, but have not lately handled the ball. Nevertheless they feel confident that they can give the "Fresh" team a run for their money. It would be in keeping with the Yuletide spirit for a large crowd to come out. We promise the town people to show a great deal of enthusiasm which they said was lacking during the last game. We have been learning some new songs and yells and will deliver these to-morrow evening in hopes that we can cheer our boys some by our efforts.

Mr. Schoer returned Sunday evening from his trip to the exposition, and seems to have had a very fine time. He says that he was in the largest crowd that he was ever in, on the closing day of the fair.

Our new talking machine, which, through the kind efforts of the civic section of the Saturday Afternoon Club, has become one of the regular equipments in our school was sampled last Tuesday afternoon. Several pieces were played upon it and all are now loud in their praise of the machine and its tone, and in their thanks to the progressive ladies of the town for what they did toward getting it. It was moved and seconded that we should instruct the secretary of the student body to write an expression of thanks to the civic section of the Saturday Afternoon Club in order that they might see that their gift had been appreciated. Yet there are more ways than one that we may show our appreciation to the kind townspeople for what they do for us. Mr. Schoer gave special instructions as to the use of the phonograph, saying that it was to be used for instruction and not as a plaything.

On the opening night of the grammar school fair held last week our singing class, led by Miss Haile, its teacher, rendered two very beautiful and well prepared selections as part of the program for the evening. It is a noteworthy fact that the music class had made such a success in its first six months. There are something over thirty pupils in the class, all of which are rapidly developing good voices, or improving those with which they were gifted.

Examinations for the last month commenced yesterday and will continue until next Tuesday. On Wednesday the report cards for the month will be given out and will necessarily be returned before Friday evening. We have a very systematic way of going through our examinations this year, thus avoiding the confusion and worry usually so characteristic of unexpected ex's. On Thursday the classes which recite the first period in the morning and the first in the afternoon were examined. On Monday the third classes in the morning and the last or third in the afternoon will be examined, and on Tuesday any extra examinations will be held.

The Junior English class have taken up "Webster's Reply to Hayne," and though it is rather difficult to fathom at first, is making very good progress in the intricacies of the great debate.

The fourth period was ommitted last Friday and the Reverend Hjalmer Berg of the Christian church addressed us on the "Keywords of Success." Mr. Berg's talk was highly instructive and mayhap will inspire higher ideals in some boy or girl.

The monthly meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association will be held this evening in the Baptist church at seven thirty. A very good program has been prepared and will consist of the following: Remarks by president, recitation by Miss Aldrich, song by ladies double quartet, discussion on young children, the young people in the home, by Rev. Berg; the young people in the Sunday school, by Miss Puett; the young people in the kindergarten, by Mrs. Roderick; the young people at play, by C. Schoer, Jr.; recitation, by Grace Reed; God Bless Our Schools, An Old Man's Heaven, solo by Dr. Thomas.

The last lyceum program before the Christmas vacation will be put on next Friday afternoon at one o'clock. Owing to our scarcity of room the exercises will be held in the Christian church.

A new telephone was installed in the high school last Tuesday afternoon. The principal, Mr. Schoer, is in his office each morning until 9:45, at the noon hour, and after 2:30. The people at large are kindly requested to observe these hours. At no time will students be called from their classes, nor will students at school be allowed the use of the phone except on important business. Some six or seven years ago there was a phone here, but owing to the fact that so many of the fair sex spent study periods and the noon hours talking to their swains, the phone was removed. But this time the telephone proposition will be attended to in a strict business method and none of the above rules will be broken.

Miss Place left hurriedly for the city last Wednesday morning because of the serious illness of her mother. During her absence her work is being carried on by Mr. Schoer and Miss Tibbets.

The first issue of the "Snort" went to press Wednesday morning. The question has been asked "What is the politics of the "Snort," and what are the highest aspirations of the editor?" Mr. Scott asked me to announce that the paper is strictly democratical and will support and adhere to any one belonging to that party. This is the eighth consecutive year which the "Snort" has been produced, it being started by Laurie Layman seven years ago, and has continued to be read even unto this day. Last year Mr. Scott took up the work so ably begun by Laurie and carried the Snort to a great financial success. As a result Mr. Scott figures that he can clear something on it this year. Although there are no hard feeling between the editor and the members of the Press Association, it is rumored about that the paper was again resumed to pay off an old grudge which the members of the association seemed to have incurred by their numerous attempts to boost Scottie into the position of champion queener of the high school. It is reported that Scottie has obtained some new and startling ideas from the school papers and pupils of Freemont high with which he has become so familiar.

Mildred Van Dusen and Reva Thomas returned Sunday evening from a week's visit at the fair.

Mr. Schoer will file all the examination papers for this month in his office. Mr. Schoer already has the papers of one month filed in his office, and will continue to take papers throughout the year, in order that he may see just how each one of us is progressing in spelling, neatness, capitalization and punctuation.

Miss Miriam Broaddus is back again in school after an enforced vacation on account of illness.

Registration blanks for the registering of our track team in the N. W. S. L. were received last Wednesday.

Miss Tibbets, who is directing the farce "Disappointed Santa Claus", announces that the cast bids fair to rival that which put on the senior play last Thanksgiving.

Miss Irene Dreyer returned to school last Monday after a little "set-to" with La Grippe.

Ivan Crawford proved his ability as a nimrod by showing a picture of the two deer which he slew during the open season last summer.

Book reviews are due this afternoon. Miss Tibbets reports that so far this year the books seem to have been thoroughly digested by their readers before the day for the book review and consequently a very good list of stories have been turned in.

Miss Haile tried out the third year algebra class on a first year examination last Wednesday. For the most part the papers were very good and a few of the class succeeded in drawing perfect papers. Nevertheless, some of the students showed that they had forgotten too much of the work which they had accomplished in the year of their debut into high school.

The attendance at high school during the past week has been almost perfect, that is, the usual run of absentees has not commenced or else they are looking forward to the two weeks' vacation beginning on the seventeenth of the month.

Miss Bunny Cleland has been showing a great deal of partisanship lately. During the last basketball game with the town team she had three fights with her dearest schoolmate, who accused Referee Van Dyke of giving the high school a rotten deal. It shows very plainly with whom the sympathies of Miss Cleland reside, and that she thought more of the honor of a man than the honor of the school.

GIBRALTAR.

The Rock That Guards the Mouth of the Mediterranean.

Gibraltar was captured by the British July 24, 1704, and from that day has not been out of British hands.

At first little was thought of the importance of this stronghold. For the succeeding nine years the Spaniards made repeated attempts to recapture it. On one occasion they nearly succeeded.

A French and Spanish force having been collected on the isthmus that joins the rock to the mainland, a goatherd offered to show them a path up the sloping sides of the rock, which he had reason to believe was unknown to the British. This offer was accepted.

Five hundred troops ascended quietly one night and took shelter in a hollow called by the Spaniards "the little chair." At daybreak next morning they ascended higher, took the signal station, killed the guard and anxiously looked for expected re-enforcements. The re-enforcements failed to arrive. The armed garrison sallied out and drove the invaders down the rock. The "little chair" was filled up and the place made stronger than ever.

All subsequent attempts to capture the rock have failed. One of them was a siege by Spain and France, beginning in 1779 and not terminating until September, 1783.

The rock of Gibraltar takes on a more important bearing than ever in these days of big guns because of its commanding position at the mouth of the Mediterranean, where that sea is little more than twenty miles wide.—Exchange.

LITTLE ANDORRA.

The Tiny Republic That Nestles in a Nook in the Pyrenees.

Andorra is a republic of 175 square miles situated in the valley of the same name in the Eastern Pyrenees. It forms an irregular little square plug between France and Spain and is a hotbed for smugglers plying between the two countries. It leads a semi-independent existence under the protection of France and the Bishop of Urgel, Spain. Charlemagne declared it independent in return for its services against the Moors.

In 1278 it was transferred to the Comte de Foix and the Bishopric of Urgel. During the French revolution relations between it and France were interrupted, on account of the refusal of France to accept the annual tribute, which was considered incompatible with a Republican form of government. In 1806, however, the former relations were renewed, and free importation of cereals, made necessary by the limited area of Andorra, was allowed by France in return for an annual tribute of 960 francs.

Andorra is governed by a council of twenty-four members chosen for four years by the heads of the communities. The revenue is derived from lands and a few taxes. The manner of life is very simple. Every ablebodied male is liable to military service between the ages of sixteen and sixty. The capital is Andorra, with about 1,000 inhabitants. The total population is about 6,000 and remains practically stationary.

Expecting Another Drop.

Some time ago Mrs. Green called on her friend, Mrs. White, and, after clutching, kissing and saying how dreadfully delighted they were to see each other, they turned to the interesting topics of the day.

"By the way," said Mrs. Green after a time, "I haven't heard anything about Eva's divorce lately. I wonder what has become of it?"

"I heard a few days ago that she had dropped all proceedings," answered Mrs. White.

"Dropped all proceedings!" was the wondering rejoinder of Mrs. Green. "You don't really mean it?"

"Yes," returned Mrs. White. "Her husband has taken to aeroplaning, and she has decided to let the thing adjust itself."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

Futility of Argument.

Plato defined man as "a two legged animal without feathers." Diogenes, who heard this, plucked a cock. "This is Plato's man," said he. But never you think the old timer lacked a "comeback." He added to his original definition the words, "With broad flat nails." Such is the futility of argument.—Springfield Republican.

His Favorite Play.

Edith—That Mr. Phun is conversationally impossible. Ethel—Why so? Edith—We were talking about the theatre, and when I inquired what was his favorite play he said if he had any favorite it was seeing a man steal second.—Boston Transcript.

REDWOOD VALLEY

Redwood Valley, Dec. 8—The Finnish colony have purchased a new 30-horse power caterpillar from the Holt Manufacturing Co. of Stockton, Cal. The big horse arrived the latter part of last week. The sparker was not properly adjusted so they got Louis Heilmann to pull the horse up from Redwood station to their ranch with his caterpillar.

Will Finne reports that he had the time of his life at the fair. Will spent some ten days taking in the sights.

Guy Joslin and wife, Ellis Gwschend, Edwin Gschend and Miss Clara Gantz were among those who visited the fair during the closing week.

Will and Bob Tindall are building a fence for George McClendon.

J. M. Woolley is clearing the stumps from his land with his Hercules stump puller.

Chas. McConnell has a very sore hand. Starting from a splinter under his fingernail, his finger and entire hand became very sore and inflamed. The doctor lanced the finger and is still treating it.

As furs are high this year many of the boys have a string of traps out. Among the trappers are Enoch Hurt, Jim Wyman, Charley Thomas, Bert Lane, Lester Daly, Lem Apple, Andy Cross.

George W. Lane paid his ranch here a visit Monday.

The rain has delayed the work on the Redwood depot.

Mrs. George Ticehurst was operated on at the Lane hospital in San Francisco last week. The operation was successful and Mrs. Ticehurst is getting along nicely but will not be able to come home for several weeks.

Santa Claus has paid a visit to F. A. Howland's store and left some nice toys.

Jim Howard is in San Francisco on business and pleasure.

Fred Ellis has moved from the Jonas Thowson house into the new house the Ellises built last year.

There was a party at the home of V. Andrews Saturday night. After the party all hands repaired to Buck Copsey's new house and enjoyed a dance.

Lee Riggs has been quite lame for the past few days. He does not know the cause. The Riggs have some fine cabbage, and are supplying their neighbors with cabbage for sauer kraut.

George Moore was down from Reeves canyon Tuesday. George does not get down very often now because the roads are so bad.

Charley Kirk is at Chico and expects to remain for two weeks yet. Harold Kirk and Lee Metcalf came up Saturday to spend Sunday at the Kirk ranch. They are going to high school in Ukiah.

John Poma has been doing some road work on the west side of the valley.

Mrs. Ples Copsey was operated on by Dr. Rea at Ukiah Tuesday. Her many friends here hope for her speedy recovery. She is getting along nicely.

T. J. Burris has a nice level piece of land above Salt Hollow. Mr. Burris has all the timber cut off. He has sent for a stump puller and will get the land ready for the plow this winter.

R. P. Eachus, the Lake county nurseryman, was in the valley on business Tuesday.

Fred Yates had a crew putting in a new culvert south of his ranch Tuesday. Sam Williams, Percy Letts and W. B. Smith assisted him.

Walter Andrews has the scarlet fever. The Andrews family are quarantined.

J. Snook was surprised the first of the week when his brother-in-law and family dropped in on him. Their home is in Nebraska.

The supervisors have changed the name of the Calpella district to Forsythe.

Ricette Bros. are installing a pumping plant on their ranch in Salt Hollow.

The Rev. P. T. Lynn will preach at Calpella next Sunday at 2:30.

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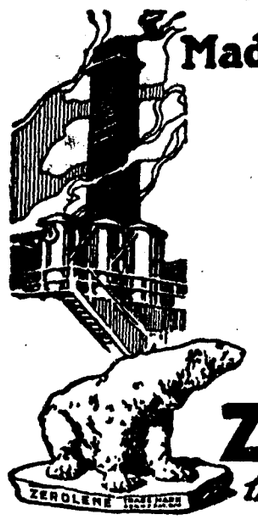

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Mrs. E. F. Berger, of Willits, was registered at the Palace Monday.

J. D. Brower came down from his ranch on the Potter valley road for a short visit last Sunday.

E. L. Williams, a prominent resident of Hopland, was in Ukiah on business the first of the week.

Supervisor Wm. Ross was over from Fort Bragg this week to attend the session of the board.

Newt Howe came over from Point Arena the first of the week to attend a meeting of the exposition commissioners.

A. L. Patton, a peace officer of Mendocino, was a Ukiah visitor the first of the week.

U. S. Gantz, a prominent rancher of Redwood valley, was in town on business the latter part of last week.

G. W. Pickle came down from Potter valley on business the latter part of last week.

J. B. King, a prominent resident of Westport, was over to the county seat on business this week.

G. W. Rector came over from Boonville on business the latter part of last week.

Al Carlson, a well known contractor of the Fort Bragg section, came over to Ukiah on business this week. Mr. Carlson has built several bridges for the county of late, and his latest piece of work near Gualala is said to be a fine structure.

Everett Holliday and family are home from the exposition. Everett developed a very good judgment in the matter of chickens while away and is getting to be quite a chicken fancier. He took in the poultry show at the exposition.

Ben Hofman came home this week after an extended absence in the city. He was accompanied by his mother.

Elmer Albertson returned this week after helping blow out the lights at the exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cunningham returned the first of the week after an extended visit in the city.

Geo. McCowen returned home the latter part of last week after a few weeks in the city.

John Snow returned the first of the week after spending a few days at the closing of the exposition.

Attorney W. P. Thomas returned last Tuesday after a few days' visit in San Francisco in connection with the case of Holmes vs. the Snow Mountain Company. He attended to other important business while away.

R. T. Hutsell, a prominent resident of Boonville, was in Ukiah Tuesday.

Dick Jose actually appears in person at the Victory theatre tonight. One show only. Starts at 8:15.

J. J. Dashiells returned from the exposition the latter part of last week and left for his ranch on Eel river Friday.

Gene Nalli, an employee of the Northwestern Redwood Co., broke his leg last week while working in the woods near Sherwood.

Howard Preston, of Fort Bragg, cashier of the Commercial bank of that place, was in Ukiah yesterday on business. He is a member of the grand jury.

The Joseph Jewelry Co. hereby gives notice that it will positively do no outside engraving during the holidays. Engraving free on all purchases made at this store. 9-3t

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Thompson, of Comptche, were in Ukiah last Wednesday and departed the same day for their home at Comptche. They were returning from a visit to the fair and report a very enjoyable time. This office acknowledges a very pleasant call from the couple.

Lloyd Wallace left for Eureka last Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Robertson, of Willits, is visiting in this city.

Wm. Heryford and wife are home after a visit at the fair.

F. E. Smith, of Comptche, was a Ukiah visitor last Monday.

F. L. A. Gorlinski was down from Willits on business yesterday.

Horace Milliken was over from Fort Bragg on business this week.

Miss Vivian Place was called to Oakland Wednesday on account of the serious illness of her mother.

C. P. Smith and bride returned last Tuesday after their honeymoon in the bay section, and are nicely located in Mr. Smith's residence on North State street.

Mrs. Medora Morrill a cousin of Mrs. Jessie Redwine, departed this week for San Diego, where she will spend several months before her return to her home in Minnesota.

Mrs. J. C. Ruddock returned last Sunday to her home in San Francisco.

Harry Maze, son-in-law of Will Gibson, is very ill at his home on East Perkins street.

Mrs. Stapp, who was very ill at the Malpas hospital, is able to be about once more.

J. H. Clarke is in town this week on grand jury duty. He is a prominent rancher of the Calto section.

Geo. Hood and wife were up from their fine ranch at Fountain this week.

Leland Milliken was in town from his Potter valley ranch the first of the week.

Mrs. J. L. Bailor and Miss Ruth Bailor, of Potter valley, were registered at the Palace hotel last Monday.

Grandma Edwards returned the latter part of last week after three weeks at the exposition.

S. C. Burris, H. F. Burris and W. W. McCreary, of Potter valley, were in Ukiah last Monday.

Mrs. Thos. J. Gillespie, Theo. Gillespie and wife and Geo. Pickle, all of Potter valley, were Ukiah visitors the latter part of last week.

Miss Murel York returned the first of the week from a visit in San Francisco.

H. B. Muir, of Willits, passed through town the first of the week en route to Healdsburg on business.

Franz Grothe and Misses Rose and Selma Grothe, of Cummings, were Ukiah visitors this week.

Saturday, Dec. 18th the baseball boys will give their second dance. Turn out and help them make up their deficit. A good time is assured.

T. L. Hiatt came up from Hopland on business the latter part of last week, accompanied by his son, Raymond.

Xmas Popcorn and Peanuts—Orders left with Lee David at his stand in the Gracy building on State street, opposit Hotel Cecille, will receive prompt attention. 9-3t

Mrs. Everett Gilmore and little daughter, who have been in San Francisco viewing the last of the exposition, returned home Sunday.

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Ike Burke and family returned from the city the latter part of last week after several days' visit there. They left for their home at Peachland Monday.

Bob Marders came down from Potter valley on business yesterday. Bob is the same old ticket and his friends here are always glad to shake hands with him.

Don't forget the baseball boys' dance the 18th.

Taylor Day was down from Potter valley Monday.

Let Fowler see about that old overcoat. 8-tf.

R. S. Williams was registered in town from Willits this week.

John Brown, of Fort Bragg, was registered in town Wednesday.

Mrs. B. Long, of Talmage, spent Wednesday afternoon in town.

J. W. Rawles, a rancher of Anderson valley, was in town this week.

C. L. Hopkins, of Potter valley, was a Ukiah visitor last Wednesday.

M. Zimmerman, of Potter valley, was a Ukiah visitor Wednesday.

Nelson Requa, of Redwood valley, was in Ukiah on business Wednesday.

C. A. Edwards and wife, of Echo, were in Ukiah this week on business at the courthouse.

Fowler makes old clothes look new. All work done carefully by hand. 8-tf.

H. B. Van Matre, president of the Arcata state normal school, was a Ukiah visitor this week on business connected with the school.

Ed Roth, a prominent business man of Willits, was in Ukiah on business this week.

Fred N. Loring, editor and proprietor of the Willits News, was a Ukiah visitor this week on grand jury duty.

R. H. Cochrane and wife, of Potter valley, were registered at the Palace last Tuesday.

Mrs. F. G. Darby, wife of the station agent at Longvale, was a Ukiah visitor Tuesday.

A year's subscription to the Dispatch would make an ideal Christmas present in many cases. 8-3t

A. S. Mann and wife were in from the Mann ranch on the Orrs springs road the first of the week.

Len Barnard came over from Fort Bragg last Wednesday evening to be present at the session of the grand jury held yesterday.

Joshua Grindle was in town from Mendocino yesterday to attend the session of the grand juury.

Good music, good floor, a good time, are all guaranteed at the baseball boys' dance Saturday evening, Dec. 18th, at Cleland's hall.

Chas. Tuck, a sterling rancher of the Willits section, was down to Ukiah on business the first of the week.

Did it ever occur to you that a year's subscription to the Dispatch would make one of the most acceptable Christmas presents you could give, especially if the party is a former resident living now in some other place? They would be glad to see the home news. Only $2.50 a year. $1.25 for six months. 8-3t

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gambrel, of Largo, were in town Wednesday.

"YEP, ALWAYS BUSY"—That Man Fowler. 8-tf.

Mrs. J. Pool, of Petaluma, is visiting Mrs. Emma Southard in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weldon and son Lloyd, of Potter valley, spent Wednesday in town.

Fowler is the official cleaner for Ukiah's "smart set." 8-tf.

Mrs. Carl Beggs (nee Verna Duncan) returned to her home in San Rafael Sunday.

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Gen. Graham was a south bound passenger Thursday.

Mrs. Martha May, of Willits, was a business visitor to Ukiah on Wednesday.

A suggestion for Christmas—A year's subscription to the Dispatch. 8-3t

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W. W. Moody, a resident of this place, and an old employee of the Standard Oil Company in San Francisco, has been appointed to take charge of the interests of the Standard Oil Company in Willits, and has already moved to that place and is now in charge of the office. At one time Moody had charge of the sales division of the Standard Company, but resigned his position because of the confinement and then he and Mrs. Moody moved to Ukiah where they have a host of friends. As soon as Mr. Moody gets settled in his work Mrs. Moody will also move to Willits.

H. S. HENDERSON MARRIED IN SAN FRANCISCO

H. S. Henderson, of Ukiah, and Mrs. Isola Daugherty, of St. Louis, Mo., were married in San Francisco December 3rd, Friday of last week. They will make their home here.

Dick Jose actually appears in person at the Victory theatre tonight. One show only. Starts at 8:15.

KINGSLEY CHAPTER, O. E. S. INSTALLS OFFICERS

Kingsley Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, held its installation of officers last Monday evening, the following being inducted into office by Mrs. Martha Toles, grand Electa, and Mrs. Lillian Thomas, grand marshall:

Worthy matron, Mrs. Sadalee Palmer; secretary, Mrs. Martha Toles; treasurer, Mrs. Anna Cranz; conductress, Mrs. Ruth Anker; associate conductress, Mrs. Ruby Dowson; marshall, Mrs. Callie Grant; chaplain, Mrs. Nettie Bernhard; organist, Miss Catherine Thomas; Adah, Miss Gladys Anker; Ruth, Miss Ula White; Esther, Mrs. Nettie Benton; Martha, Mrs. Isabel Miller; Electa, Mrs. Gladys Iversen; warder, Mrs. Eleanor Thurston; sentinel, Mrs. Laura Randall.

A pleasing musical program and refreshments were features of the evening.

Mrs. Della Anderson, retiring matron, was presented with a past matron's jewel by Mrs. Robherd Thomas on behalf of the lodge.

CEMETERY CASE IS SUBMITTED ON BRIEFS

The case of Tarwater et al vs. Babcock was on in the superior court this week and has been ordered submitted on briefs. The case arose over the ownership of a plot of ground used as a cemetery near Boonville. Babcock bought a certain tract of land several years ago from Thos. Rawles on which was a small cemetery. A few months ago a deed was filed purporting to be from the former owner of the land in favor of Tarwater et al as trustees of the cemetery, and which seemed to indicate that a greater tract was included originally in the cemetery than was enclosed by the fence which stood around it at the time Babcock bought the land. Babcock claims that he had no knowledge that any such deed was in existence and that he himself has been selling plots adjacent to the original cemetery for burial purposes and that before the suit was instituted he had no idea that any one else claimed any title to any of the land he had bought.

Attorney W. G. Poage is representing Babcock's interests and Chas. Kasch appears for the plaintiff.

GRAND JURY MEETS

The grand jury met yesterday for a few hours and adjourned until today. Rumors of several criminal cases under investigation were rife yesterday, and it is expected that several indictments will be returned.

ELKS PLACED ON EDEN VALLEY RANCH

HERD OF SEVENTEEN IS NOW LOCATED IN MENDOCINO COUNTY

Willits, Dec. 8—Last Saturday a carload of elks was brought here from the Miller & Lux ranch in Kern county. The animals were consigned to the Eden valley ranch and it took six four-horse wagons to haul them out. There were eleven does and one buck in the shipment, and these added to the five they already had will make quite a herd. About 400 acres have been fenced off for the wild animals and they are allowed to run in a state of nature. Besides the elks they have one buffalo.

DADDY BILL WALLACE CALLS THE TURN

Lloyd Wallace was made a happy papa this week, word being received by telegram yesterday, the 9th, of the birth of a son to Mrs. Wallace in Eureka that morning. Mother and son were reported doing nicely. "Bill" had a name already picked out for the youngster, who, he said, was going to be called Young Bill Wallace. Sometimes a name picked out beforehand fails to fit on account of the sex of the offspring, but Lloyd seems to have called the turn in this case.

The youngster has been named William Ford Wallace.

CLAUDE WHITE KICKED IN LEG BY HORSE

Claude White was kicked by one of his horses the first of the week, the bone of one leg being shattered by the blow. Mrs. White took charge of the delivery business, driving the wagon for several days herself, until help could be obtained. Claude is getting along as well as could be expected, but his injury is a serious and painful one.

THE WEATHER

Dr. McCowen reports as follows for the weather the past week: Maximum temperature, 65, on the 9th; minimum, 38, on the 4th. Rainfall, 2.73 inches for the week, making 7.67 for the season, against 8.53 to date last season.

Mrs. Pink Burke and children came over from their ranch near Boonville and spent a few days in town this week, returning Wednesday.

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Pencils
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Fruit Dishes
Gravy Trays and Boats
Hand Painted China
Pepper and Salts
Pitchers
Punch Bowls and Glasses
Photo Frames
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30x3½	11.90	13.35	2.60	2.90
32x3½	13.75	15.40	2.70	3.05
34x4	19.90	22.30	3.90	4.40
34x4½	27.30	30.55	4.80	5.40
36x4½	28.70	32.15	5.00	5.65
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BILLS ALLOWED BY THE BOARD

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C. C. Brewer, getting juries	11.80
J. C. Hurley, bd. of education	15.00
Cal. Development Board	15.00
Mysell Rollins Co., files	14.00
T. L. Young, inquest	11.25
Laura E. Randall, janitor	3.75
A. L. Patton, expenses	17.00
W. S. Osborne, juror fees	24.00
J. M. Painter, juror fees	12.60
C. F. Vincent, hauling	1.00
T. Rodgers, rent	5.00
Republican Press, printing	10.00
Ukiah Elec. System	12.77
Henry Hansen, labor	34.20
W. B. Dickie, shelves	5.00
Ukiah Republican Press, printing	2.00
Ukiah Republican Press, printing	15.00
Ukiah Republican Press, printing	20.00
E. H. Smith, surveying	26.02
J. T. Farrer & Son, supplies	27.50
A. O. Stornetta, transporting dead indigents	8.00
Howard Bishop, removing body	4.00
Dispatch-Democrat, printing	7.50
Chas. Chipman, jury fees	25.10
Ed De Young, jury fees	25.60
G. W. Johnson, rent and postage	8.84
J. T. Farrer & Son, rent	5.00
D. C. Crockett, rent	5.00
R. R. Byrnes, criminal wk	32.60
R. R. Byrnes, criminal wk	143.68
M. Banker, auto hire	109.50
John Boitano, detective wk	27.00
Frank LaPorte, tent house	62.30
Ed Zimmerman, cor. jury	12.60
McCallum & Linscott, burial indigent	66.00
C. B. Heryford, mileage board education	6.00
C. B. Heryford, salary, board education	15.00
Catherine Thomas, salary	75.00
F. LaPorte, lumber	5.81
Western Union Tel. Co., rent of clocks & messages	5.80
Dispatch-Democrat, printing	3.75
Geo. Southard, hauling	2.50
Hale Prather, box rent	1.00
J. J. Mathews, box rent	1.50
Harry Pressley, carrying returns	5.00
Ukiah Times, printing	3.00
Ukiah Times, printing	2.50
Ukiah Times, printing	8.50
Dispatch-Democrat, printing	1.50
Ukiah Times, printing	12.50
Lee Sam Laundry	.95
Dispatch-Democrat, printing	14.25
R. B. Saunders, pictures	8.75
A. G. Hunter, elec. sup	6.18
O. B. Crispen, postage, etc.	3.69
Ukiah Republican Press, pub	34.25
Ukiah Republican Press, printing	4.50
Ukiah Republican Press, printing	3.00
Ukiah Republican Press, publishing	9.00
Ukiah Republican Press, printing	14.50
M. G. Wess Co., file	19.40
J. W. Eversole, supplies	3.40
Eugene Dietzgrn, blue print paper	4.34
Cox Hardware Co., supplies	13.70
A. Carlisle & Co., supplies	104.14
A. G. Donohoe, services on road survey ....$	8.00
J. L. Ray, services on road survey	8.00
Bert Johnson, criminal expenses	9.45
R. G. Thorne, expenses on criminal case	6.60
Dave Brandon, rebate of 1915 taxes on excess valuation	11.52
Dave Brandon, rebate on Mendocino U. H. S. 1915 taxes on excess valuation	.24
G. K. Osborn, coyote	6.00
W. S. Swearinger, coyote	6.00
Jim Crabtree, 2 coyotes	12.00
William Smith, coyote	6.00
Bert Lane, coyote	6.00
E. A. Ford, coyote	6.00
W. D. Rhodes, coyote	6.00
Herbert Burris, coyote	6.00
C. W. Brush, coyote	6.00
J. D. Hepburn, two coyotes	12.00
Mrs. Hattie Bell, coyote	6.00
Walter R. Card, three coyotes	18.00
T. R. Brightenstine, coyote	6.00
Wm. E. Shields, three coyotes	18.00
J. M. Heryford, coyote	6.00
Valentine Requa, coyote	6.00
Ralph Leggett, coyote	6.00
J. D. Hepburn, two coyotes	12.00
David Ayres, two coyotes	12.00
George H. Black, two coyotes	12.00
Theodore Dunlap, coyote	6.00
C. W. Brush, coyote	6.00
Arthur Lane, coyote	6.00
Jim Crabtree, three coyotes	18.00
Ralph Leggett, coyote	6.00
Mark Cubbler, coyote	6.00
R. R. Clark, coyote	6.00
Frank Poe, coyote	6.00
C. W. Brush, coyote	6.00
E. O. Michaels, coyote	6.00
J. D. Hepburn, coyote	6.00
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Wm. V. Clarke, coyote	6.00
James Gentry, coyote	6.00
Roy McCombs, coyote	6.00
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Theodore Brightenstine, coyote	6.00
Valentine Requa, coyote	6.00
T. J. Chase, coyote	6.00
George Rice, coyote	6.00
Walter R. Card, three coyotes	18.00
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C. L. Foster, coyote	6.00
R. C. Gray, coyote	6.00
Roy Bauer, coyote	6.00
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Wm. H. White, coyote	6.00
Walter Mullis, coyote	6.00
Herbert Burns, coyote	6.00
August Linser, two coyotes	12.00
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Wein Grothe, four coyotes	24.00
Clint Wilson, coyote	6.00
Warren R. Snook, coyote	6.00
Herbert Burris, coyote	6.00
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Mrs. Hattie Bell, coyote	6.00
Percy E. Trumbell, coyote	6.00
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W. S. Swearinger, 4 coyotes	24.00
W. S. Swearinger, 3 coyotes	18.00
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W. S. Swearinger, 3 coyotes	18.00
W. S. Swearinger, 5 coyotes	30.00
W. S. Swearinger, 4 coyotes	24.00
W. S. Swearinger, 10 coyotes	60.00
W. S. Swearinger, 2 coyotes	12.00
W. S. Swearinger, 2 coyotes	12.00
W. S. Swearinger, 4 coyotes	24.00
Estate of Maurice Hirsch, tax rebate	19.20
J. Liftchild, quarantine duty	20.00
A. L. Bolton, tax rebate	14.30
A. L. Bolton, tax rebate	3.06
A. L. Bolton, tax rebate	1.40
A. L. Bolton, tax rebate	.50
A. L. Bolton, tax rebate	9.36
A. L. Bolton, tax rebate	13.68
Walter A. Bolton, tax rebate	6.40
Walter A. Bolton, tax rebate	52.25
Walter A. Bolton, tax rebate	1.60
Walter A. Bolton, tax rebate	12.00
Walter A. Bolton, tax rebate	7.60
Walter A. Bolton, tax rebate	36.00
Ed. R. Wright, tax rebate	6.40
Ed. R. Wright, tax rebate	121.60
Ed. R. Wright, tax rebate	7.68
M. Hirsch Estate, tax rebate	15.20
M. Hirsch Estate, tax rebate	.96
Alice B. Davy, tax rebate	4.68
Alice B. Davy, tax rebate	7.15
Alice B. Davy, tax rebate	1.56
H. V. Weldon, tax rebate	11.00
T. J. Weldon, tax rebate	11.00
T. J. Weldon, tax rebate	1.80
Mrs. H. V. Weldon, tax rebate	2.16
T. J. Weldon, tax rebate	1.50
H. V. Weldon, tax rebate	1.56
H. V. Weldon, ta xrebate	1.90
H. V. Weldon, tax rebate	.36
M. Hirsch Estate, tax rebate	.96
F. C. Peirsol, quarantine, etc.	120.00
M. Hirsch Estate, tax rebate	.80
Morris & LeRoy, drugs	16.22
Morris & LeRoy, drugs	9.71
Exposition Fund	
Edward H. Brown, expenses....$	78.26
W. A. Ford, services and expenses	57.40
Edward H. Brown, services	120.00
Northwestern Pacific Railroad Co., proportion salary of H. H. Calvin during September, 1915	30.00
L. E. Crawford and W. H. Ford, interest on note	2.90
Mrs. H. A. Wyckoff, services at Mendocino Booth	48.00
W. A. Ford, exhibit	5.00
T. M. Cleland, supplies	2.60
T. M. Cleland, salary	125.00
Judicial Fund	
Bert Johnson, expenses as constable	25.25
Frank Sandelin, meals for jury	26.50
A. L. Patton, expenses of criminal cases	3.00
Pearl Berryhill, reporting	10.00
Indigent.	
J. C. Philbrick, conveying indigent to county farm....$	7.50
S. Cohn, supplies	1.85
Irvine & Muir Lumber Co., supplies	14.00
Irvine & Muir Lumber Co., supplies	20.00
Jamison Brothers, supplies	10.00
Jamison Brothers, supplies	7.00
Jamison Brothers, supplies	12.00
Jamison Brothers, supplies	7.50
Jamison Brothers, supplies	15.00
George W. Johnson, supplies	19.90
Walter K. Porter Co., burial of unknown	17.50
R. L. Brown, supplies	20.00
R. L. Brown, supplies	20.00
Bert Johnson. fare of indigent	4.50
J. M. Newgard, supplies	20.00
J. M. Newgard, supplies	20.00
J. M. Newgard, supplies	20.00
Joseph Bishop, digging grave	12.00
California Western R. R. and Navigation Co., ticket	3.00
J. T. Farrer & Son, supplies	18.85
J. T. Farrer & Son, supplies	5.00
J. Liftchild, salary	75.00
D. E. Mankins, salary	55.00
Mrs. D. E. Mankins, salary	25.00
C. F. Benton, salary	65.00
Mrs. C. F. Benton, salary	25.00
Wm. H. Van Voast, salary	45.00
Wm. Packard, salary	35.00
Jamison Brothers, supplies	4.75
C. Hofman Co., supplies	9.45
C. Hofman Co., supplies	5.95
C. Hofman Co., supplies	18.55
C. Hofman Co., supplies	1.00
C. Hofman Co., supplies	9.45
C. Hofman Co., supplies	7.95
C. Hofman Co., supplies	11.40
C. Hofman Co., supplies	14.55
Jamison Brothers, supplies	13.50
C. Hofman Co., supplies	.68
C. M. Ward, supplies	187.88
Morris & LeRoy, supplies	104.83
Morris & LeRoy, supplies	55.07
Ukiah Water & Imp. Co., water	15.00
Department of Electricity, Town of Ukiah City, lights	21.30
Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co., telephone service	3.45
J. W. Eversole, coffin	16.50
Hutchison & Roeder, coffin and supplies	48.00
Robert Anderson, dig graves	12.00
D. E. Mankins, expenses	10.24
Collins Transfer Co., hauling	1.50
Gibson Hardware Co., supplies	35.84
Henry Hansen, plumbing	17.02
L. J. Holzhauser, supplies	12.42
M. Grant, supplies	12.00
George Hutton, hauling	8.00
J. A. Hanson, labor	4.00
F. O. Scott, rent of bull	2.00
C. W. Barrick, painting	32.90
O. F. Hargis, electric wiring	6.35
J. W. Eversole, supplies	144.20
Ukiah Jewelry Store, repairing clock	1.00
Dispatch Democrat, printing	2.00
Thos. Charlton & Son, blacksmithing	1.50
L. S. McWilliams, supplies	5.00
John A. Mendosa, supplies	5.74
John Erickson, hauling meals to jail	5.00

UNCLAIMED LETTERS

List of unclaimed mail matter advertised by W. B. Hagans, postmaster of Ukiah, for the week ending Dec. 20, 1915, and sent to the Division of Dead Letters, Washington, D. C.

1. Byrans, E.
2. Burge's, Charles
3. Cortez, Antonio
4. Duncan, Miss Myrtle E.
5. Johnson, G.
6. Legg, Ed
7. Shelden, J.
8. Salminen, Miss Laura
9. Vest, T. A.

FAMOUS SHOE ARTIST

A dispatch from Fort Bragg the first of the week via grapevine telegraph states that Ikey Ray, the famous shoe artist from Ukiah, was demonstrating his skill at the Grand hotel Monday evening. A large crowd of one was in attendance.

Sabin Aldrich came up from Petaluma on a short visit with his folks last Sunday.

Notice of Sale of Real Property

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the matter of the Guardianship of the estates and persons of Herbert Duncan, James Duncan, William Duncan, Merle Duncan, and Mary Duncan, Minors.

Notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of an order of the Superior court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino, made and entered on the 18th day of October, 1915, in the matter of the guardianship of the estates and persons of Herbert Duncan, James Duncan, William Duncan, Merle Duncan and Mary Duncan, minors, the undersigned guardian of the estates and persons of said minors, will sell, at private sale, in one lot, or parcel, to the highest bidder, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, and subject to confirmation by said Superior court, on or after the 17th day of December, 1915, all the right, title, estate and interest of the said minors of, in and to those certain lots, pieces and parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the Village of Covelo, County of Mendocino, State of California, bounded and described as follows, to wit:

First Tract

Beginning at the Southeast corner of the lot of Lottie Duncan thence running East 50 feet; thence North 60 feet, thence West 50 feet, thence South 60 feet to the point of beginning.

Second Tract

Beginning at a point on the East line of the County road 130 feet South of the intersection of the East line of the County road and the South line of Greely street thence running East 150 feet, thence South 60 feet, thence West 150 feet and thence North 60 feet to the point of beginning.

Terms and conditions of sale, cash, gold coin of the United States of America; 10 per cent of the purchase price to be paid at the time of sale; balance on confirmation of sale. Deed and abstract at expense of purchaser.

All bids must be in writing, and may be left at the office of G. E. Redwine, Attorney for said Guardian, at rooms 6 and 8, Preston Building, in Ukiah City, County of Mendocino, State of California, or may be filed in the office of the clerk of the court, or may be delivered to said guardian, personally, at Covelo, County of Mendocino, State of California, at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of the sale.

G. W. DUNCAN,
Guardian of the estates and persons of said minors.

G. E. REDWINE, Attorney for Guardian. 5-5

PROBATE NOTICE

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Mendocino.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Florence Hildreth, also known as Florence Hildreth, deceased, being formerly the wife of William J. Hildreth, also known as W. J. Hildreth.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Mary G. Ruddock, Louis M. Hildreth and William R. Hildreth have filed in the above named court a paper which is purported to be the last will and testament of the above named deceased, together with their petition for the probate of the same, and Letters Testamentary thereon issued to said petitioners, and that the hearing of the same has been fixed by the Clerk of this Court for Monday the 20th day of December, A. D. 1915, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at the Courtroom of said Court at the Court House of said Court in Ukiah City in said County of Mendocino, and all persons interested in said estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why the alleged will should not be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and also why Letters Testamentary should not be issued to said petitioners Mary G. Ruddock, Louis M. Hildreth, and William R. Hildreth, as prayed for.

Dated this 29th day of November, A. D. 1915.

HALE PRATHER,
Clerk of said Superior Court.
By M. A. CARPENTER,
Deputy Clerk. 8-3t

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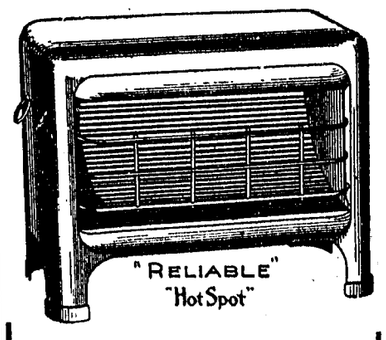

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TREATMENT OF PEAR BLIGHT

FALL MEASURES TO CONTROL BLIGHT OF PEAR, APPLE AND QUINCE TREES

All Wounds Made by Cutting Out Infected Parts Should Be Disinfected

In the management of the orchard, especially the apple and pear orchard, there is a period in the autumn after the fruit is gathered, and perhaps after other crops have been safely harvested, that is most convenient for doing some of the careful work in the control of certain diseases and pests. There are certain fungous and bacterial diseases, particularly pear blight and apple canker, which are best worked upon at this time. These diseases are principally controlled by the eradication methods rather than by spraying. With both these diseases it is not only a matter of convenience but it is a fortunate thing that some of the most important work of the season can be best accomplished at the time when it is most convenient. The mild autumn days before the disagreeable, rainy or cold weather comes give the very best opportunity for careful work and close inspection.

Pear Blight

Pear blight is a bacterial disease which works mostly in the fleshy, growing, tender parts of the tree, including the blossom clusters, young twigs, and the bark of larger branches, and even on the body, collar, and root system of the tree. Under certain conditions the bacteria spread into the wood to a considerable extent. The disease attacks the pear, apple, quince, and other related fruits of the pome family. While the leaves are attacked to some extent, particularly the leaf stems and midribs of the younger leaves, the main killing of the foliage results from the death of the twigs and branches on which the leaves are located. The dead branches and other parts give no evidence to the naked eye of the cause of their death and thus resemble somewhat limbs killed by fire; hence the name fire blight, particularly with blight on the apple, is often applied.

How the Tree is Infected

The germs get into the tree in several ways. First and most important is the blossom blight. Flies and other insects carry the germs from the gummy exudate on the holdover blight to the opening blossoms and infect the nectaries of the flower. Bees and other insects carry the germs from blossom to blossom and tree to tree and even to adjacent orchards and spread the disease rapidly during the blooming period. During the present season pear blight has been particularly bad, especially the blossom blight on both pears and apples. The outbreak of 1915 stands out as one of the worst in history, particularly on account of the unusual amount of blossom blight on the apple.

Next of importance after the blossom blight, and in some cases the most serious phase of the disease, is the infection of the tender tips of growing twigs. Thousands of these growing twigs may be killed on a single large apple or pear tree. The blight may extend from the infections on the blossoms or from the twigs down on to the larger branches, thence to the body of the tree. The branches, bodys, and more particularly the collar and even the root system of the tree, may be infected directly by the germs. The infection may come from a fruit spur, water sprout, or even a sprout from the root, or the germs may be introduced by punctures by insects, birds, implements, or other means, directly into the fleshy bark, or even may enter, in certain cases, through growth cracks. Ordinarily the cuticle of the tree protects it from the entrance of the germs, otherwise there would be much more destruction of trees than actually occurs.

Each infection, no matter where it occurs, should be looked upon as an individual case of pear blight. The diseases resulting from the various modes of attack for convenience are given various names, such as blossom blight, twig blight, body blight, collar blight and root blight. The lower down on a tree, as a rule, the more dangerous is the blight. The tree may have a thousand or more twigs and blossoms killed in the top and not be seriously or permanently injured, while a single case of body blight or collar blight may result in death. Each infection is to be looked upon as a definite, limited diseased area. The part attacked is usually destroyed, though the disease may occur in the outer fleshy bark of the limbs and branches without always penetrating to the cambium. When the cambium or vital layer between the wood and bark is killed, death of that particular area, of course results.

Secondary Control Measures

For various reasons spraying has not been practically successful in controlling the disease. The eradication method, or actually cutting out the diseased area, is the principal way of controlling pear blight. Other methods, such as withholding stable manure and nitrogenous fertilizers, moderate cultivation or withholding it completely, seeding the orchard down to grass or clover, or sowing rank-growing cover crops after the blight appears in the spring, such as cowpeas and sorghum in the Middle states, oats, millet or similar crops in the Northern states, all help in a secondary way in reducing the severity of the blight. In the irrigated orchards the use of the minimum amount of irrigation water is also advisable.

Direct Eradication

The main method of controlling pear blight, however, consists in cutting out the diseased tissues wherever found and disinfecting the wound and the instruments to avoid spreading the disease. In the great majority of cases fortunately the blight comes to a definite standstill in the bark, after killing a certain distance, and stops. The germs die out in the dead bark, a crack or crevice forms between the live and the dead bark, and the case ends itself naturally and heals out. In many cases, however, the disease, while dying out in the older parts, keeps on spreading on the margin, the germs renewing themselves by multiplication and infecting new areas of fresh bark. When they manage to live through the dry, hot summer weather and keep alive until autumn, when the leaves drop from the trees, they almost invariably live over winter, and though greatly checked by the cold weather of the winter, are not killed or apparently even injured by the cold. Such cases become holdover blight, and by this means the supply of germs is kept over in the orchard for the next season. The holdover blight cases may extend considerably and result in further damage to the tree by the extension of that particular area, but their worst feature comes from the fact that they supply the gummy exudate and the virus for new infections on the blossoms the following spring. When warmer weather comes in the spring and root pressure fills the tree with sap the hold-over cases start off vigorously and exude the gummy matter, especially in moist weather, literally teaming with the pear blight bacilli. Insects, mainly flies, carry this to the opening blossoms.

Cutting out pear blight, therefore, has a double purpose, first of stopping the blight and cleaning up the tree, and second of preventing the hold-over. Much good work on blight can be done in the summer time, but the final cleanup should occur in the fall. Summer cutting, beginning as soon as the blossom blight shows plainly and continuing until the fruit is about half grown, is helpful. The best time to do it is in periods of dry, sunny weather. On young trees it is often very important, particularly on young pear and apple trees, to head off the blight by cutting well below it as soon as it shows up in the spring and summer.

Examine Bark Thoroughly

In all blight cutting, either summer or winter, it is important to examine thoroughly by cutting off the bark around the lower edge of the infection to determine the lowest point at which any change of color, even a water-soaked or transparent condition, can be detected with the eye. Young or active blight on the lower margin is readily distinguished by its moist, gummy or sticky character and either water-soaked or usually reddish discoleration of the bark. This is in rather marked contrast with the dry, dead bark where the germs have died out. Having found the lowest margin of the disease, if it is on a limb the knife, pruning shears, or saw is used, cutting well below the infection. If the disease has stopped and the dry dead bark is sharply defined in contrast with the live portion, the cutting may be made quite close below the margin, or it may be made where any convenient branch emerges or where the limb leaves the main branch or the trunk. If the freshly blighted area is short and the blend is rather abrupt between the dead and the live portion, the cut may also be made rather close to the diseased area if required by the nature of the branch. Six inches may be sufficient in such cases, but the cut should always be made on to sound bark and wood. If the saw is used it is always desirable afterward to trim the edges of the bark and the surfaces of the saw cut on the wood with a sharp knife to see if the whole surface is normal. If a water-soaked appearance is found, even on the surface of the wood, this indicates that the germs have penetrated the woody vessels and a lower cut is necessary, repeating the same process.

If the disease has run into the bark of a larger branch or extended down onto the body, the bark should be thoroughly removed from this area, cutting an inch or so at the margin and 4 to 6 inches or even more at the bottom, according to the virulence of the case, as suggested for work on the branches.

A large-bladed pocket knife, a scraper, and a three-fourths inch carpenter's gouge, kept well sharpened, are useful in cutting out the bark on these areas. The same principles of looking for water-soaked areas in wood should be applied here, and the gouge, or perhaps the chisel, used to remove all suspicious wood and bark. The edges of the bark should be trimmed smoothly and neatly, so that they can be readily disinfected and healing of the wound can properly take place.

Use Disinfectants

In all cases of blight cutting described above, a disinfectant should be carried constantly by the worker and each pruning wound or scar should be thoroughly wiped and saturated with this disinfectant and the tools wiped and cleaned with disinfectant before going to the next case. Disinfection of the tools before they are used again on any other part of the tree is necessary to insure success, as infected tools may carry blight from diseased to healthy parts. Various disinfectants may be used. One of the most convenient is a water solution of corrosive sublimate (1-1,000). The tablets can be purchased at the drug store which will make this strength by adding one tablet to a pint of water. The solution should be kept in a bottle with a cork and the operator should carry a sponge or roll of soft cotton cloth saturated with the disinfectant and for wiping the wounds and implements. The most convenient way is to have a small kit or basket and carry all the tools, including the

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ROOSEVELT FINDS US GUILTY

Roosevelt, prosecuting attorney at large—and jury at large—brings in another verdict against the country and the Wilson administration. He says the slaughter of the Armenians by the Turks is directly due to Germany and indirectly due to the "milk and water" policy of the United States. All that he says, and much more, in a long and vociferous letter to Samuel T. Dutton, secretary of the American Committee for Armenian and Syrian relief.

It is a Roosevelt letter—no doubt of that. Roosevelt wrote it. No other man in the United States, except Hearst, would sign his name to such a thoroughly asinine document. As for sympathy with the Armenians, he will have none of it unless it is accompanied by indignation, and the indignation must be accompanied by "deeds." And, of course, the "deeds" demanded by Roosevelt must be of a blood-spilling nature.

But how is this country indirectly responsible for the slaughter of Armenians by Turks? The explanation is perfectly simple—to Roosevelt. "If this people, through its government, had not shirked its duty in Mexico for the last five years, and if this people, through its government, had not shirked its duty in connection with the world war for the last sixteen months, we would now be able to take effective action on behalf of Armenia," says Roosevelt to Dutton. That is, the Turks would not have dared to massacre Armenians if America had declared war on Germany and Austria and Turkey, and had sent Roosevelt across the Atlantic to blot the armies of those countries.

There are some who wonder if Roosevelt's thinking apparatus is in good working order. Many suspect that it is not, and they have good reason for their suspicion.—S. F. Star.

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AGED WOMAN KNOCKED SENSELESS

Willits, Dec. 8—Monday night Mrs. D. J. Brandt fell on the pavement and was knocked senseless for over a hour. She uses crutches and just as she started to cross the street some small boys came running up Wood alley, made a quick turn and knocked the crutch from under her. She fell over the curb and struck on the point of her chin on the pavement. She was carried to the Rex Drug store but the clerks could not revive her and Dr. Babcock was summoned. It was not until after she was taken home that she came to. It was quite a bad accident but it will not be serious.

GAMBREL-BLALACK CASE DISMISSED THIS WEEK

The case of Gambrel vs. Blalack, which aroused considerable interest in the superior court here, has been settled without further litigation and was dismissed from the calendar this week.

The action was brought originally by Mrs. Gambrel to prevent Blalack from building a dam across Russian river, which she alleged would damage her property by causing the river to back up and overflow it.

Blalack has agreed to remove the dam.

JIM FROST DIES AT WILLITS HOME

Willits, Dec. 8—James Frost died at his home in Willits last night after an illness which lasted for several years. He was afflicted with tuberculosis. He was a man about 40 years of age and has lived in this county all of his life. He was well known in Ukiah as he and his father-in-law, Woodley Redwine, ran a saloon there for several years.

MAIL ROUTE TO ORRS

Postmaster Hagans has received notice asking for bids on a weekly mail service between Ukiah and Orrs springs. The successful bidder must leave Orrs at 8 a. m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday and leave Ukiah at 1 p. m. of the same days.

A year's subscription to the Dispatch would make an ideal Christmas present in many cases. 8-3t

Dick Jose actually appears in person at the Victory theatre tonight. One show only. Starts at 8:15.

SANFORD SUSTAINED IN BAHN-WISS CASE

COMMON SENSE DECISION OF LAND REGISTER IS UPHELD

The San Francisco Land Office received a decision this week from the Commissioner of the General Land Office at Washington affirming the decision of Register J. B. Sanford in the hotly contested Bahn-Wiss case, the land in contest being located near Willits.

Frederick Bahn, Sr., received a patent for 160 acres of land from the government in July, 1883, paying for the same, and was in absolute possession and control of the land for a period of 30 years up to the time of his death in 1911, and since his death the land has been in the possession, occupancy and control of his son, the plaintiff, and his brothers and sisters. For 30 years the land was known to be Bahn's, during all of which time he cultivated, improved and fenced and payed the taxes on the same. No one ever attempted to claim it until May, 1914, when Wiss boldly entered the field of Bahn, and tore down the fences and built a cabin in Bahn's wheatfield. This he did without permission of Bahn. The fields were enclosed by Bahn and Wiss had to go through the enclosure of Bahn for 150 yards to get to the cabin he had forcibly erected therein.

The contest is all over the various surveys and just where on the surface of the earth the township line is located. Bahn claims it one place under one survey and Wiss claims it another under a different survey. If Wiss' contention be true, then Bahn loses 100 acres of his best land, 60 acres of which is enclosed and under cultivation.

This is the famous case in which Register Sanford wrote six different decisions, alternately upholding each side according to the authorities quoted by the lawyers in the case. Finally, becoming weary of so much conflicting law, he tore up all the decisions and made the law to suit the case as follows:

1—The land department has the right to determine equitable as well as legal rights of parties claiming interests in public lands. 2—That no rights are acquired under the settlement laws by an unlawful trespass on the undisputed and known possessions of another, who believes his title to be good. 3—That no right of preemption can be established by a settlement and improvement on public lands where the claimant has obtained possession by breaking into the enclosure of one who has already settled upon, improved and enclosed the same; such an intrusion, although made under pretext of preempting the land, is but a naked, unlawful trespass and cannot initiate a right of preemption. 4—That as between one holding a preemption entry, where by mistake the patent failed to describe the land actually purchased, and another claiming under a subsequent location of such land, made with knowledge of the facts of the prior purchase, the superior equity is with the former and patent should issue to correct the mistake.

Register Sanford recommended the cancellation of Wiss' entry and that Bahn be given an opportunity to perfect legal title to the lands which had in reality been his for 30 years. The decision will be received with great interest in and around Willits where similar contests have been instituted. Sanford's judge-made law has been affirmed by the Commissioner and will be hailed with delight by all honest homesteaders.

CLAUDE VAN DYKE TAKES LEASE ON FINE PROPERTY

Claude Van Dyke, of this city, has leased the Meyers pear orchard near Hopland. This is the famous orchard of less than four acres which netted its owner a thousand dollars an acre for several years. It is a peculiarly heavy bearing stock and grafts from it are much valued among the pear growers of this section. Van Dyke has taken possession.

Don't forget the baseball boys' dance the 18th.

TREATMENT OF PEAR BLIGHT

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bottle of disinfectant, in this kit. The sponge or swab of cotton cloth can be tied to a stout string about arm's length and fastened to a button hole or the operator's clothing.

Caution—Corrosive sublimate is a deadly poison. The tablets and the bottle of disinfectant should be so labeled plainly and should be kept away from children and other persons, and the bottle of solution, when not in use, being very inexpensive, should be emptied.

Corrosive sublimate is a powerful germicide, but does not penetrate deeply. It does not kill the cut edges of the bark. Other disinfectants can be used. A tablespoonful of ordinary bleaching powder or chloride of lime placed in a gallon of water is effective. A two per cent bluestone solution is also effective. Ordinary forty per cent formaldehyde solution at the strength of one ounce to the gallon is likewise a good germicide. These solutions should always be kept in glass bottles or otherwise chemically clean containers. They should never be put in tin cans or metal containers of any sort, since the solutions are decomposed and rendered inert by metals. The water used should be reasonably clean and the sponge or swab should be kept clean by occasional washing.

Hints for Effective Work

Begin operations at the base of the tree and work upward, otherwise a lot of time and careful work may be wasted on the upper part of a branch which it is later found necessary to remove, or body blight or even collar blight found later on the tree may cause it to be condemned. In some cases there is a limit to the amount of work which the grower is willing to do to save a tree. The blight should be removed even if it necessitates condemning the tree and rooting it out. A tree partly injured by collar blight may be cleaned up and saved. This often requires digging the dirt away and working partly underground. It is necessary, however, to follow the margin of the disease, even if it carries you into the ground, just as if you were tracing the boundaries of an island. It is usually best to condemn a tree girdled by collar blight. It is possible, however, after doing thorough work of eradication with a rather mild case of collar blight, to bridge graft and thus save the tree by the same process used in bridge grafting a tree girdled by mice or other animals.

Collar blight can best be detected in the autumn, just before the pear or apple trees shed their leaves. This and similar injuries to the collar of a tree will cause the leaves to yellow and assume bronze or autumn colors and even drop, while those on the normal, healthy tree are still green. Other troubles, such as injuries by mice, frost collar girdle, and fungous root rot causes similar symptoms, but these symptoms should lead to an inspection of the collar.

To inspect the collar of a tree or any doubtful point on the body or on large limbs, dig out with a carpenter's gouge or a sharp knife a small piece of the outer bark, exposing an area of the fleshy bark the size of one's thumb nail. The cut should not be made through to the cambium and will do no injury if the bark is all right at that point. Always do this with a disinfectant in hand and promptly disinfect the cut, otherwise you may inoculate the blight or at least give an opportunity for inoculation. Keep the knife or gouge continually disinfected during this inspection.

Do not be deceived by the normal rough bark formation, which consists of the outer layers of bark which have died naturally. Fruit trees, like other trees, keep their bark smooth while young and vigorous. As they get older the outer layers begin to die, being replaced by vigorous young bark underneath. This process starts mainly at the base of the tree and works upward, the oldest bark dying first. It also begins in spots on the branches, especially at the bases of fruit spurs or small twigs, and finally covers all the older branches of the tree. It is natural to the tree and needs no attention except to distinguish it from the true blighted areas.

In working out bad cases of blight, particularly on the collars, bodies, or larger branches where there is considerable live blight in the thick, fleshy bark, it is a good plan, after doing the work thoroughly, to mark such a case by tying a strip of cotton cloth around the body or branch to distinguish it from the non-virulent cases, then three or four days to a week later with a gouge or sharp knife retrim the margins to make sure that you worked beyond the blight at all points. The bark will discolor naturally, so that this blight can not be detected without retrimming. If any of the blight were left it is thus given an opportunity to discolor further the bark and show itself. This works better in warm weather than in cold weather.

Having cleaned up the blight thoroughly in the fall, when dealing with bad outbreaks it is a good plan to go over the orchard tree by tree and inspect in early spring when the buds are swelling, but well ahead of the blossoming period, to make sure that no cases escaped. A bit of gummy exudate will, of course, immediately lead to examination with a knife and gouge. Carry the kit of tools and disinfect and be prepared for further work on such cases. Occasionally a suspicious-looking case may be partially or completely retrimmed, as above suggested.

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SUPERVISOR PROCEEDINGS

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Map of Baechtalia Park to supersede previous map accepted.

Map of Schow addition of Willits accepted and approved.

Sum of $654.18 was ordered transferred from county general fund of 1913 to county general fund 1912, being a return of money previously transferred from 1912 fund to 1913 fund.

Bids were ordered advertised for wood for the county farm and courthouse.

Boundary line between Round valley and Long valley townships was changed to conform to lines set out by county surveyor.

Mrs. Ida Beattie allowed $6.25 for support of half orphan.

Report of horticultural commission accepted by the board.

Motion was unanimously carried to buy $100,000 worth of highway bonds with which to complete state highway north of Cummings to county line.

Mrs. Skinner, of Wendling, and minor child allowed $12.50 as county aid.

Allowance of Mrs. Amanda Handaline changed from Albion store to L. E. White store at Elk.

Report of R. E. Donohoe, engineer in charge of McNamee bridge accepted.

The following cancellations of assessments ordered: John Shoemake, lot 7, Sec. 6, T. 12, R. 16; James Cure NE¼ of NE¼ Sec. 12, T. 12, R. 17.

ODD FELLOWS ELECT OFFICERS

The Ukiah Odd Fellows elected their officers for the ensuing term last Tuesday evening as follows: Geo. David, noble grand; Louis Hardie, vice grand; Albert Hardie, secretary; Julius Roller, treasurer.

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Senior B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 P. M.
Mid-week prayer service at 7:30 P. M. Wednesday evening.
Sunday morning topic, "An Example of Prayer." Sunday evening topic, "The Beam and the Mote."
Special music by the choir.
All are cordially invited.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

There will be no preaching next Sunday at the Presbyterian church. However, there will be Sunday school as usual. On the following Sunday, December 19th, will be held the regular Christmas service of the church, details of which will be published next week.

Christian Science services are held in the Preston building every Sunday. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Lesson sermon at 11 a. m. Wednesday evenings testimony meeting at 7:30. All are welcome. Reading Room at same place open daily, except Sundays and holidays, from 2 to 4 p. m. Subject for next Sunday is "God, the Preserver of Man."

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A suggestion for Christmas—A year's subscription to the Dispatch. 8-3t

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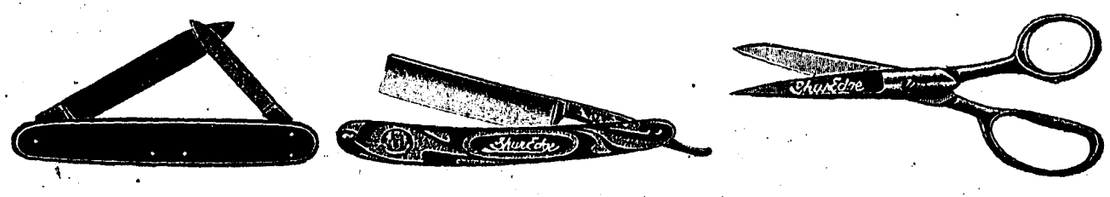

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Large Poinsettias in 5 inch pots
Cyclamen, Large White Flowers in 5 inch pots.
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